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TROTSKY SAYS STALIN'S REGIME IS DOOMED

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MOSCOW CHARGES RIDICULED

Mexico City, February 10.
Leon Trotsky, in a telephonic speech to a mass meeting of communists in New York, declared that if Stalin's case against him was submitted to an International Tribunal and he was found in the slightest degree to be guilty of the crimes imputed against him, he would voluntarily place himself in the hands of the OGPU executioners.

Trotsky declared that Stalin's regime was doomed and it was for history to decide whether he will be replaced by a capitalist counter-revolution or the Workers' Democracy.

RIVAL SOCCER CAPTAINS

Broadcast Views On Match

A radio novelty, which was broadcast by the ZBW studio in connection with the Hong Kong v. Shanghai Interport game this afternoon, featured last night's regular programme when the rival captains were induced to say a few words over the air. The speakers were introduced by Mr. Frank Read, the local football radio commentator.

STANLEY GASH (captain, coach and manager of the Shanghai team):—We are very glad to be in Hong Kong again. We had a pleasant trip down from Shanghai. We have a young team and are very optimistic of our chances. We hope to have an enjoyable game.

LOUIS MARCAL ("skipper" of Shanghai's side):—We will do our

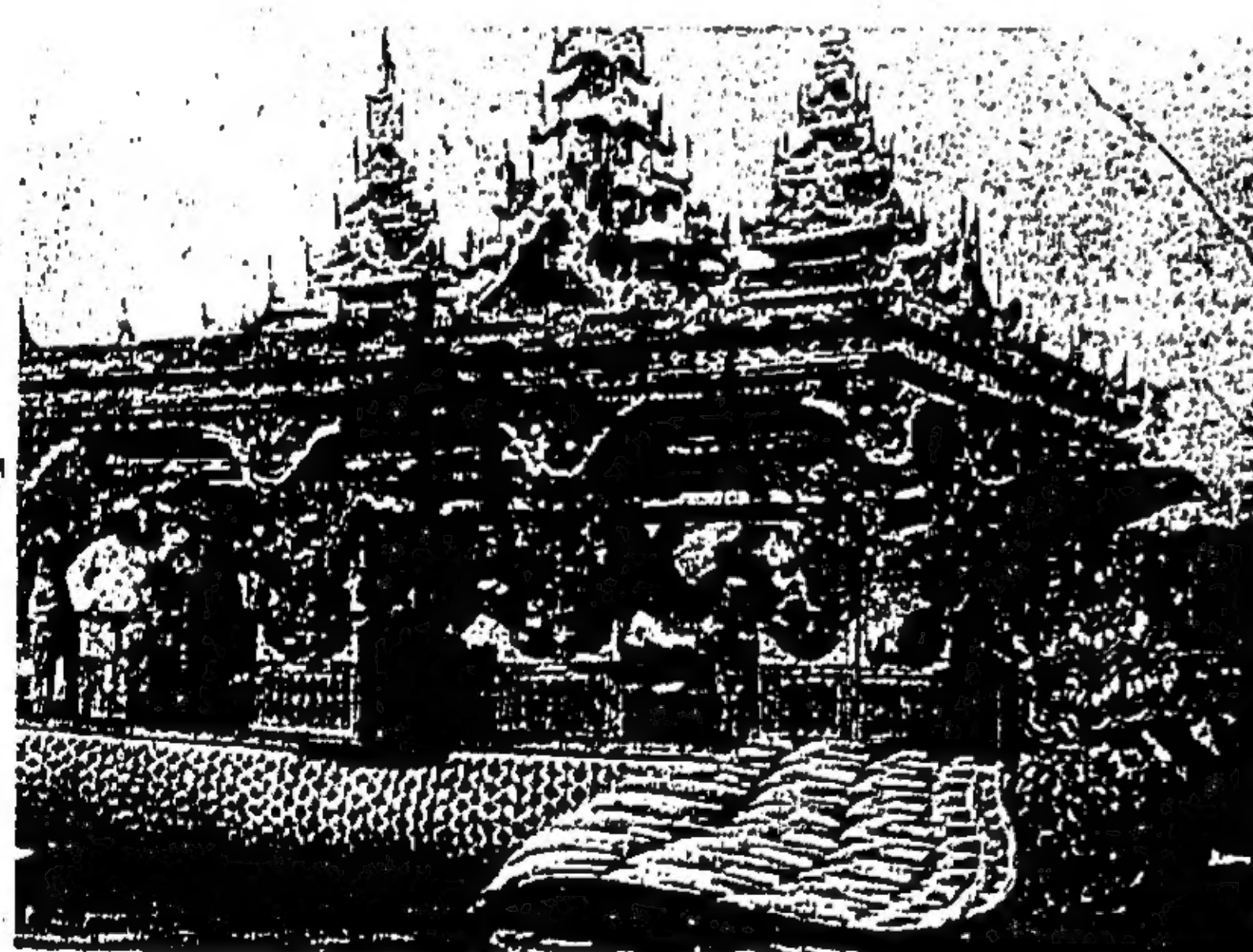
An audience of six thousand gathered to hear Trotsky's speech and they were disappointed when the line broke down and Trotsky's voice was cut off, the speech being eventually read to the gathering.

Trotsky ridiculed the charges against him, especially in connection with his alleged alliance with Japan and Germany, "both of which were doomed to defeat in the next war." He asserted that Moscow had resorted to all kinds of measures to enforce his silence because he knew the whole truth and had nothing to hide. He declared that he could present an enormous amount of testimony and documents which would demolish the forced confessions of the defendants in the Moscow trial.

best to-morrow and I hope my team will be the best one.

LEE WAI-TONG (Hong Kong's captain):—Thank you, Marcal. I am pleased to renew old acquaintances. No matter which side wins to-morrow, I am sure we will have a good game.

Viceroy In Golden Barge



The Marquess of Linlithgow, Viceroy of India, seated (front) in a golden barge at Rangoon during his last official visit to Burma. Near him, at the side of the barge, is the Governor of Burma, Sir Archibald Cochrane.

Popular Front In Canton

Canton, Feb. 10.
The police have arrested several alleged members of the Popular Front, whose movement is similar to the radical group in France and Spain. The cause of the arrest is that they plotted to create disturbances here.

The arrest has caused some sensation, as it was thought that this

movement was confined to the authorities in Shensi, Kansu and certain "cultural" circles in Shanghai. Details of the arrest are not made known.

Students are reported to have taken a fancy for the Popular Front movement, first sponsored by the Communists with the object of rallying national support.

OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK

MESSAGES FROM HONG KONG LEADERS

Twenty five years have passed since the overthrow of the Manchus, and in spite of the adoption of the Gregorian Calendar by the Chinese Republican Government, the celebrating of the passing of the old lunar year and the commencement of a new one continues.

Old traditions die hard, and it appears that those who look upon Chinese New Year as the biggest festival in the calendar, could not be persuaded to forsake it altogether. Conscience seems to be satisfied by styling and celebrating it as the "Spring Festival."

In Hong Kong, where there are no restrictions regarding its observance, the celebration of Chinese New Year is continued from year to year, as of old, and the annual fair for the sale of flowers, toys, sweet meats, etc., is still the main feature of the celebrations, but is now held in Gloucester Road, Wanchai, instead of Jervois Street as in former years.

Notwithstanding world depression with its accompanying diminution in local trade, a spirit of holiday and good fellowship prevails throughout the whole Colony.

That the year has been an exceptionally bad one, nobody can gainsay, and the low rate of the dollar has resulted in keen business competition and the cutting down of profits to a minimum, besides the curtailing of over-head expenses.

For both shop-keeper and merchant, therefore, the past twelve months have been most anxious and trying. Although the old year was one of the most eventful in China's history, and also one of the worst ever experienced by the Chinese at home and overseas, the Chinese in this Colony, and indeed throughout the whole Republic of China, are celebrating the New Year with smiling and cheerful faces as usual.

"This year will be better than the last" is the universal greeting, and with unshaken confidence in the future, the Chinese people courageously await the great destiny that is in store for them. China has safely weathered a

year of stress and anxiety, and so full of domestic troubles and acts of foreign aggression, as to make the bravest of its citizens turn pale. The peaceful Chinese nation is now united, and it is hoped that the new "Kawagoe" policy of Japan will result in a better understanding between the two countries, and permanent peace in the Far East.

Peace and settled government in China is certain to be followed by an era of peace and prosperity, not only for China and the Far East, but for the whole world.

The New Year has been heralded by the booming of the fire-crackers, and we wish our Chinese friends a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE HON. SIR SHOU-SUN CHOW

The political situation in China is very promising for the future and we hope to maintain the most cordial relations with our neighbour, whom we wish continued prosperity.

I think the commercial situation in the Colony has improved considerably and I feel it will continue in the same vein.

We regret that His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, has been transferred to Ceylon. What will be our loss will be Ceylon's gain.

We hope that Sir Geoffrey Northcote will find his term of administration in Hong Kong a very happy one. I, as a Chinese, wish our foreign friends and also members of my community, a very happy and prosperous New Year.

MR. LAU KING-TSING, vice chairman of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Tung Koon District:

The year that has just come to an end has been a very trying one, both for China and the Colony. We shall start the new year with the courage and determination that has seen Hong Kong through such troublous times in the past, and I feel confident that we shall find brighter times ahead. I take this opportunity to wish the "Daily Press" a kung hay fat choy.

We have not troubled the HON. DR. R. H. KOTTEWALL, as the leader of the Chinese community, for a message owing to his recent heavy bereavement.

HON. DR. LI SHU-FAN:—At no time, so far as I am aware, has the Anglo-Chinese relations been so cordial as it is at present. There is no doubt that the final outcome of this will be beneficial both to Hong Kong and Canton, commercially and otherwise. I am confident that the Chinese New Year will bring in a new period of prosperity.

HON. MR. J. P. BRAGA:—I have already expressed my individual greetings to my Chinese friends in Hong Kong and in Kowloon and I am happy to think that they are legion. All the same I feel happy to be able to associate myself with friends of the "Hong Kong Daily Press" in a general message of cordial good wishes to all Chinese residents of the Colony for a very happy and prosperous Chinese New Year.

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FERRY SINKS IN HARBOUR

Collision With Jardine Ship

PANIC—BUT NO FATALITIES

A collision in the harbour yesterday afternoon between the s.s. Chak Sang and the ferry launch Man Fat resulted in the latter craft sinking within ten minutes of the accident. She is submerged in about 40 feet of water and all that can be seen of the vessel now is her mast sticking up above the water.

Details of the collision are very meagre, but enquiries from the Water Police elicited the information that the Chak Sang, a Jardine owned vessel, was bound for Shanghai at the time and was on her way out of the harbour when the Man Fat, pulling out of her berth, is alleged to have got into the way of the liner and was rammed amidships. The Harbour Authorities state that the Chak Sang was not damaged and was able to proceed to the Northern port, according to schedule.

Mr. Lau Tak-po, manager of the Hong Kong and Yau-mat Ferry Company, interviewed regarding the accident, to the effect that the particulars of the accident could not yet be ascertained.

The report he received was to the effect that the Man Fat was coaling near the fairway at the Kowloon terminus and there were no passengers on board the vessel at that time.

It appears that the ferry was pulling out of her berth when she got into the way of the Chak Sang, the Jardine Matheson steamer, which came into collision with her. The vessel sank within ten minutes in about 40 feet of water but every member of the crew was safely picked out of the water by a Hong Kong Hotel launch which happened to be passing the scene at the time of the accident.

The Whampoa Dock Company have already taken the work of salvage in hand and it is learned from them that the damage is estimated at approximately \$5,000.

BRIGHT BATTING BY M.C.C.

Ames In Reckless Innings

Canberra, Feb. 10.

Bright batting by the M.C.C. featured the two-day match commenced here to-day against a New South Wales country eleven. The tourists closed their innings at 380 and the home team lost one wicket after scoring a single run in bad light at the close.

The match opened in fine weather and on a slow wicket before a crowd of 4,000. The M.C.C. innings lasted 175 minutes. At lunch time the score was 144 for one wicket and they carried the total to 245 for four at tea interval. Five wickets were down for 337 and then there was a collapse, the remaining five wickets fetching only 43 runs.

Hardstaff (67) and Worthington (49), the opening batsmen, were together until they realised 107 runs.

Wyatt contributed 51 and Leyland 57, the latter scoring a six and seven fours. With Wyatt, Leyland added 114 runs for the third wicket.

Ames scored 82 in fifty minutes with powerful driving which was almost reckless. He hit five sixes and nine fours.

Jackson was the most successful bowler on the home side, his five wickets costing 143 runs.

Reuter.

NEW FELLOWSHIP FORMED

Christ Church, Kowloon Tong

A meeting of members of the Men's Fellowship of the Kowloon Tong Anglican Church was held on Tuesday evening to discuss the expansion of the Fellowship to admit ladies as members.

The Fellowship was originally started by the Rev. N. V. Halward when he was Priest-in-charge of the Church, and members have, as their aims and objects, the following:—

(1) To intensify the reality of the Church life as a whole by encouraging one another, as well as others to lead the Christian life; (2) To participate as regularly as possible in corporate worship; (3) To meet together in friendly social intercourse.

The meeting was well attended and after the Chairman, Mr. A. E. F. Guest, had given a brief outline of the purpose of the meeting, discussion ensued as to the future name to be adopted by the Fellowship. It was finally decided to call it the Christ Church Fellowship after the new Church at Waterloo Road, which will be opened for public worship on February 28.

A new committee was elected as follows:—Mr. R. Ashton Hill (Chairman), Mr. A. E. F. Guest (Vice-Chairman), Mr. E. A. Lee (Hon. Secretary) and Mr. E. F. Shen (Hon. Treasurer).

It is the intention of the new committee to widen the scope of activities during the year, all interested are requested to get in touch with the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Lee, at the Pharmacy, Shell House, or at Christ Church.

COLONY WATER RESTRICTION

Island To Have Only 15 Hours Daily

It is officially announced by the Water Authorities that, as from Sunday, February 14, the hours of supply to all districts on the Island will be restricted from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

There will be no issue of the "Daily Press" to-morrow. Publication will be resumed on Saturday.

ANNUAL DISPLAY

The Central British School are holding their annual Physical Training display on February 19th, commencing at 5.15 p.m. The display will be held on the school playing fields, and entrance is by programme which may be obtained from any of the children.

Health Returns

Four cases of diphtheria, and one each of small-pox (from Kowloon), typhoid (from the New Territories) and puerperal fever (also from the New Territories), were notified to the local Health Authorities on Tuesday.

Sir Robert Ho Tung Indisposed

We are sorry to learn from Mr. George She, secretary to Sir Robert Ho Tung, that Sir Robert is indisposed, suffering from a slight fever. We sincerely hope that Sir Robert will have a speedy recovery.

RECEPTION FOR INTERPORTERS

The Portuguese members of the Interport football and ladies' hockey team will be entertained by the Club Recreio on Monday, February 15, at 10.30 a.m., to which all members and friends are invited.

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Travel Publicity—Or Lack Of It!

The opening paragraph of the leading article in the current issue of "The Rock", a local Catholic publication, contains the following words:—

"Just now Hong Kong basks in the light of its proximity to Manila. No effort was made to attract to our island any of the thousands that are going by every available shipping route to the Eucharistic Congress, but many are coming of their own accord."

Perhaps the Travel Association has not noticed it yet?

STAPLES SURPRISES!

OMELETTES

Plain And Varied

Separate the yolks and whites of three eggs. Beat the yolks with a tablespoonful of water, pepper and salt to taste. Whisk the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and fold gently into the yolks. Melt a small piece of butter in an omelet pan, pour in the egg mixture. When the bottom is just set, put the omelet pan under the grill to set the top. Alternatively as the underneath sets, it can be loosened with a knife and some of the liquid on top allowed to run underneath to set. This method is best when the omelet is to be folded over.

KIDNEY AND TOMATO OMELET

Melt some butter in a separate frying-pan, and put in two kidneys cut into tiny pieces, also two chopped skinned tomatoes. Season with pepper and salt and fry gently until cooked. Turn the mixture into the centre of a plain omelet and fold over. The kidney should be cooked first.

FINNAN HADDOCK OMELET

Shred some cooked finnan haddock, season with pepper and make it very hot in some butter. Put in a plain omelet and fold over.

HAM OMELET

Put two ounces of cooked ham through the mincer, add a little chopped parsley, mix with the uncooked egg, and cook as usual.

GREEN PEPPER OMELET

Remove the seeds from a green chillie put into boiling water, and boil for five minutes. Drain well, chop up and fry in butter for ten minutes. Put on the cooked omelet and fold over.

ASPARAGUS OMELET

Chop some tinned asparagus, add to the omelet mixture, and cook in the usual way.

Make A Chocolate Cake

Take one egg and its weight in self-raising flour, sugar and butter. Put the butter into a basin, warm it near the fire, and work it to a cream with the sugar, using a wooden spoon. Whisk the egg well, then beat it into the butter and sugar. Take two heaped tablespoonfuls of unsweetened cocoa, make it into a thick paste with milk, and mix it with the other ingredients. Now sift in the flour, little by little, and add a very little milk, if necessary, to make a thick paste.

Have ready a cake tin, lined with greaseproof paper, and pour the mixture into this. The tin should be about half to three-quarters full to allow the cake to rise. Put into a hot oven and bake for about three-quarters of an hour. A larger cake will take more time.

When quite cold, ice the cake: Melt a piece of butter the size of a walnut, add half a pound of icing sugar rolled till there are no lumps in it, and two tablespoonfuls of cocoa. Mix well and stir in sufficient boiling water to form a thick paste which can be spread on the top and sides of the cake. Pour the whole of the icing on to the cake, and spread it over the sides with a knife.

Here is a recipe for a ground rice cake which will not be dry and which gets beautifully moist with keeping. It is not an extravagant recipe and makes a good-sized family cake. The recipe is of Yorkshire origin.

Ingredients.—6oz ground rice, 6oz flour, 1lb. butter or margarine, 1lb. castor sugar, 3 eggs, 1½ teaspoonfuls baking powder, vanilla flav-

SPONGE PUDDINGS

For four or five people, take two eggs and their weight in butter, castor sugar, and self-raising flour. Warm the butter slightly and beat it to a cream.

Whisk the eggs until light and frothy, add them to the butter, and beat until thoroughly mixed. Sift in the sugar and mix it in well.

Have the flour dried and sifted with a pinch of salt, and sift it in lightly without beating again. Add the grated rind of a lemon and a few drops of almond essence.

Divide the mixture between small greased moulds and steam for half an hour.

If liked, the moulds can be put in a dish of boiling water in the oven, the water to come about two-thirds of the way up the sides of the moulds. Or they can be baked in greased cups in a fairly hot oven for fifteen to twenty minutes.

ouring, milk, Orange, tangerine or almond are alternative flavours.

Grease a cake tin and line with greased paper, standing well above the sides of the tin. Sieve together flour, ground rice and baking powder. Beat sugar and fat to a cream. The next stage is very important. Stir in each egg very quickly, and get the first well beaten in before adding the next. When all are added, fold in the ground rice and other ingredients, together with a little milk as required.

Add a teaspoonful of flavouring and mix all together lightly. Put into the prepared tin and bake in a moderately hot oven for about 1 to 1½ hours. (Regulo "4").

French Peasant Soup

Slice up and fry lightly in a little butter two carrots, two onions, two leeks, two tomatoes, two potatoes and a small turnip. Put in with them a few parsley stalks, one clove, a few coarsely pounded peppercorns and salt and moisten with sufficient hot water to give you enough soup after boiling for about an hour. When the soup is done rub through a sieve. Here water is preferable to stock as it preserves the freshness of the vegetables, and because of that freshness I hesitate to suggest that you should bind this delicious soup, as some do, with cream or cream and egg. It is really much better as it is, and that is very good indeed.

HAM SOUFFLE

This is much easier to make than it sounds. It is much improved by the addition of a generous amount of paprika pepper.

Make a white sauce with two ounces of butter, an ounce of flour and a gill of milk. When cool, season with salt, pepper and a pinch of nutmeg, and add two yolks of egg. Pound half a pound of cooked, lean, minced ham, add it to the sauce and pass through a wire sieve.

Whisk the whites of the eggs very stiffly, adding a third if you can and fold them lightly into the sieved mixture. Put the mixture into a prepared souffle case and steam gently for an hour. Or you can bake the souffle if you wish, but that will take only about half the time.

How Sir Austen "Got Up" China

China Society Speeches

Two ex-Cabinet Ministers spoke at the China Society dinner last month. They were Sir Austen Chamberlain and Lord Eustace Percy.

Lord Eustace coined the phrase of the evening. "It is every bit as difficult," he said, "for the Chinese student to find England in London as for the English clerk to find China in Shanghai."

Both drew out the similarities between the two peoples. Again Lord Eustace was the more epigrammatic. He asserted that the Chinese and the English resembled each other in being internationally articulate.

On the other hand, Sir Austen was able to do more than stress the respective traditions which characterised alike the British and the Chinese.

As an ex-Foreign Minister, he confessed that when he went to the Foreign Office he knew no more about China than any other intelligent Englishman. He confessed that it took him two years of hard reading to make up his mind on the policy which should govern our mutual relations.

As the Chinese Minister had previously referred to him as a firm friend of China and the Chinese, his patience was clearly well worth while.

"Dai Nippon"

The vogue for countries changing the names by which they are known to the rest of the world seems to be spreading.

Persia became Iran a year or so ago, while the Free State is encouraging a movement for calling Ireland Eire.

The latest to indicate a forthcoming change is Japan. Most geographers are familiar with the Japanese name for the country, Nippon. Now, apparently, Japan is to call herself Dai Nippon, Great Japan, a name which is already being used in the titles of a number of big new firms and trusts.

Dai Nippon will flatter national pride in two respects. It will place Japan on the same footing as Great Britain adjectivally, and above her in alphabetical lists of nations at such functions as the Olympic Games.

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Life In Desolate Madrid

As the evacuation proceeds slowly, as the number of motor-cars in the streets steadily drops, as wheel after wheel of the Administration rolls away, life in the capital seems to fold up on itself. Madrid has become a backwater. It is no longer the place where initiative originates. The hum of activity has departed from the Ministries, as it has from many great houses now used for purposes for which they were never meant. One wonders what takes place behind so many closed blinds.

The ruins caused by bomb and shell are in many places being steadily repaired. Hardly has a shell fallen before the labour of clearing the debris begins. Almost as quickly in some cases as the human victims are picked up and removed to hospital the stones are dragged to one side and the glass swept up. The quantity of powdered glass scattered about tucked between cobblestones is so great that at night dark streets become shining rivers under the reflection of the moon. It is weird experience to walk down one. With the life departed from the Ministries, with closed churches, and emptying streets pockmarked with burnt-out ruins or battered walls, Madrid's monumental character has taken on a somewhat funereal aspect, enhanced by regular-spaced sarcophagelike barricades built of blue granite boulders.

It is by no means a dead city, however. In fact, life teems on all sides. Washing waves on balconies or on strings from tree to tree. All day long old men, women, girls, or boys on the pavements are chop-chop-chopping wood for kindling. It is surprising what a variety of

articles can be ultimately reduced to a size that will get into a stove.

THE DONKEYS QUEUE

Life has been simplified. It is not a case of living to eat but of eating to live. Never have the appetites of large families been so insatiable to worried mothers. To be or not to be—that is the question now; so a start is made early and little notice is taken of risk from shell or bomb, as new sites are carefully reconnoitred for the possibilities they may offer. The rationing methods of the authorities are sufficiently inadequate to make personal foraging a necessity, but the ingenious enterprise of humble merchants here comes to the rescue.

From remote parts of the city, where mysterious distributions take place, emerge rickety donkey-carts heavily laden with cases and sacks of vegetables and fruits. As they go a procession forms behind. It is, in fact, an ambulating queue, very like a funeral, but with deadly intent on the part of the followers to consume the contents of the cart. It looks as if the mule were dragging cart and queue together with all their cares combined, and it is the most familiar sight in the streets of Madrid to-day.

The inordinate honking of motor-car horns used to be the most familiar sound, but now deeper or shriller noises rend the air—the scream of shells, the crash of shrapnel, and the whistle of the bombs—though few get near enough to hear the latter and live to tell the tale.

To-day, everything was quiet. There was no fighting and no shelling. To-night the moon is hidden.

JUDICIAL REFORMS IN AMERICA

Washington, Feb. 8. Despite the storms of protest throughout the country, coming from such papers as the New York Times, President F. D. Roosevelt is reported to be determined to press on with his judicial reforms.

The Washington Herald, editorially, goes so far as to say that when the people voted for Mr. Roosevelt they voted for a dictator, "and now they are going to get one."

President Roosevelt, however, remains unperturbed. He has summoned the Chairman of the Senate and House Judiciary Committees to lunch to discuss means of obtaining early congressional action on his proposals for reform in the Supreme Court.—Reuter.

PLENARY SESSION AT NANKING

Nanking, Feb. 9.

Prominent military leaders leaving for Nanking to attend the plenary session of the Central Executive Committee include General Han Fu-chu, Governor of Shantung, Ho Cheng-chuan, Commander of Bandit Suppression forces in Shanai, and Chiang Po-chen, personal representative of General Chiang Kai-shek who will all arrive at the capital on February 12. General Shang Chen, Governor of Honan, will arrive on February 13.

General Sung Chieh-yuan, Chairman of the Kopei-Chahar Political Council, is also expected to attend.—Reuter.

The Memory Of Burns

Sir William M'Kechnie At Dunfermline

"Scotland needs the guidance and inspiration of Burns in the accomplishment of her national destiny," said Sir William M'Kechnie, formerly Secretary of the Scottish Education Department, when proposing the toast of 'The Immortal Memory' at the annual dinner of the Dunfermline United Burns Club in the Masonic Hall, Dunfermline, last month.

"Scotland knows it," he added, "and will go on cherishing his memory and reading his poems and singing his songs. She will never forget the honour and affection she owes him."

Burns, Sir William continued, revealed Scotland to herself, and made her something different from and greater than what he found her. He painted the picture of the Scotland of his day, and put his country in the forefront of European literature.

Cult Without Parallel

Some people had regretted that Burns was not better educated. He was, really a highly educated man. He was widely read in English literature, and he knew French authors also. Sir William agreed with those who thought Burns might have been hampered and not helped by a University education.

The cult of Burns, Sir William presented a most interesting phenomenon, without parallel elsewhere. No poet seemed to have won the ear and heart of his fellow-countrymen just in the way Burns had done. No doubt that was due to the directness and intimacy of his appeal. He got it "right across," as they said nowadays.

Burns could not be called the poet's poet as Spencer was; he had none of the mysticism or obscurity of many of our poets; he was, practically, never, or seldom, artificial. He was untrammelled by any idea that he belonged to any particular school. For the most part he was simply pouring out with wonderful art, thoughts and feelings that were bone of his bone and flesh of his flesh, but that are sufficiently near our own thoughts and feelings to be readily intelligible to us.

Flood Relief Funds

Washington, Feb. 9. Congress has passed a \$50,000,000 relief and deficiency bill which will provide funds for flood relief work.—Reuter.

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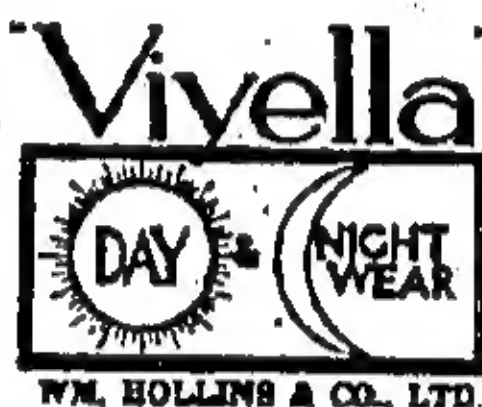
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(BY THE HON. MRS. C. W. FORESTER)

Line, colours, fabrics and fashion details all forecast a more feminine feeling in dress. Clothes for formal or informal wear show such elegancies from the past as basques, fan-like tails, spreading rosettes, panels and over-drapes.

Poetic or sprays of flowers, high decorative shoulder straps, fringes and bows are all interesting, while another novelty is to have shoes and gloves finely embroidered to go with a special frock. All these delightful details do much to cheer the salon and ballroom, and give promise of still greater beauty for the spring.

Apart from all the pageantry which is sure to appear as we draw nearer to Coronation time, women's clothes are becoming invested with attractive ultra-feminine importance.

Unconsciously the mode is following in the footsteps of Queen Elizabeth, who is so subtly sensitive to colour, and who in the choice of her new variations in soft pale shades will affect considerably the general selection for the spring.

Queen Elizabeth has always shown that she has very sound ideas in dress. Though she is specially skilful in escaping the commonplace, she avoids exaggerated styles.

At the moment, we can realise the charm of the pastel tones in clothes for the Riviera, Egypt, and in similar styles for southern beaches farther afield. The majority of younger women select ultra-simple semi-sports costumes in elastic yarns embracing all kinds of woven wool designs and rayons. New feather-weight materials are a feature of one-piece frocks in white and pale shades; a new kind of tub-frock that, on account of being carried out in superior crepes and novelty weaves, requires more detailed stitchery and perfection of work.

There are some pleasing changes in the two-piece. One of the new tunic effects, destined for Cannes, was in a dirty pink crepe. It was cut in one, but a long tunic-like look was suggested by separate pieces of the crepe that formed flares at each side of the straight frock. Large brown velvet buttons on either side emphasised the tunic air.

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Take Stock Of Evening Frocks

Easy-To-Wear Models Favoured

Some houses in London and Paris are sponsoring the higher waist. This is very easily arranged by placing the band or sash a little higher than the normal line, or by accentuating the upward curves of the corse.

Expert dress creators can always adjust the dress line to suit the individual. There are all sorts of

The nearly high neck showed cowl-like drapery edged with pleated frills, and the sleeves were finished neatly just over the elbow by a series of tiny frills and pleats. A wide bow of bronze velvet had a gold flower in the centre. Bronze shoes, another come-back, were embroidered with gold, and matched suede gloves.

To wear over this extremely simple style was a long, semi-military cape of brown face-cloth, the ensemble completed with a cap of brown tulle and gold sequins.

Much gold appears in the form of little jackets and halo hats all glittering and leaping. The gold revival is assured. Gold and silver kid will be used as trimmings, but these feminine decorative trifles will be reserved for amusing incidentals to models for cinema and cocktail parties.

Braids in gold and silver will be introduced sparingly into dark and all-black silk jersey suits. Jerseys are much patronised for informal parties. For such an evening, a gown in black jersey of ground length had long, tight sleeves and a fichu-neck, into which was put a couple of large red damask roses. An embroidered kid and velvet belt repeated the red note, with red patent leather and black shoes.

Black for London and Paris must be there, whether for formal or informal occasions. Yet fashion's forecast predicts an anti-black movement for the fuller draperies and overskirts of spring.

All-white in crepe and ottoman is extraordinarily smart, while grey that looks like beige is another Riviera favourite. As I have already stated, the first green, lilac, mauves, pinks and oyster have al-

AROUND THE SHOPS

Lane Crawford's Ladies' Salon have just received some very smart floral print crepe dresses, and, as Race Week is fast descending upon us, a visit to this very popular salon is recommended if you wish to set the fashion at the Race Course. The dresses are marked at extremely moderate prices and there was one in particular that the writer has set her heart on. It will not do, however, to tell you all about them, besides this fine display must on no account be missed.

At Rivelle's, the woollen coats and dresses have been marked down by 25 per cent. Like Lane Crawford's, this store has received a new consignment of dresses, specially ordered for the Race Week and here again the range of pretty things must be seen to be appreciated.

Mayo's have time and again been called the home of beautiful hats and the latest lot that has arrived far excel anything they have had, and those who shop at Mayo's know what this means.

ways been destined for the South. The colour card of 1937 is so widely extended that the off-the-white idea seems gaining in popularity.

One of the most outstanding feminine features in coming fashions will be the flower craze. The floral toque may not long enjoy its 1890 vogue, because it is somewhat opposed to the modern taste, yet floral emblems are charmingly worn in the hair, tucked in the belt, or the fur tie or collar often shows a cluster of waxen blooms.

Artificial and real violets, deftly mixed and tied up with a ribbon, are among charming fantasies. Orchids, too, appear opulent in many colours. Deep purple and all-white orchids are lovely worn with fur or lace.



Shell pink lace, through which silver metal threads are delicately woven, is the exquisite material employed to make a formal afternoon frock for lovely Mona Barrie. The deep cuffs of the full sleeves are bell-shaped and fitted, giving the appearance of lace mitts. Shell pink satin makes the sash and a corsage of pink and white orchids are worn. The hat is of pink tulle.

Jewels and ornaments to intensify the varying shapes of models. Jewels seem a part of all important frocks.

Some specialised designs recall the picturesque 18th century trend. The hitched-up draperies of the Eighties are another idea. Some ultra-modern model is also introduced to make them wearable with ease.

Many accessories assist to stress these impressions. A perfectly plain violet-crepe frock has a décolletage outlined by a beautiful jewelled plastron in pink stones and gold. The half-sleeve and belt finish in the same way. It is the simplicity of the purple added to scale embroidery that is so original. A long black soft wool cloak with the

top and yoke equally decorated may be added—not forgetting sandals, and mittens, in purple crepe. This would make a distinctive restaurant frock. For the country, a plain, slightly trained frock in cream or red velvet is worn with low décolletage and long sleeves.

PURPLE FOR HUNT BALLS Purple is a colour gaining favour. Girls are using it for their accordion-pleated dancing frocks, relieved with white flowers. It is a good shade to choose for the hunt balls. Purple with the men's pink coats is most effective.

Coiffure continues its upward way, assisted by feathers, flowers, and jewels. Turbans are worn, and also Greek coronals. The



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son varnished satin had a tunic of dark blue lace with red embroidery and a waistband of dull leather, embroidered in sapphires.

A perfectly plain cloth skirt of silver under a three-quarter flared tunic of fine grey lace, flecked with silver spots, was worn with silvery lace mittens; also silver sandals and turban.

Whatever gay touches are introduced into the evening frocks of the hour, there is a uniform suggestion of good style. Even the newest glittering models are no longer flamboyant, but are in perfect taste and restraint, being entirely hand-made, and mostly in black, or in soft, pearly tones.

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12.30 p.m. — Vienna Philharmonic
Orchestra.

1 p.m. — Local: Time Signal and
Weather Report.
1.03 p.m. — A Recital by Grace
Moore (Soprano) and Pable
Casals (Cello).

1.30 p.m. — Reuter Press. Rugby
Press: Local: Weather Fore-
cast. Time and Announce-
ments.

1.40 p.m. — Primo Scala's Accordion
Band.
2.05 p.m. — Three Songs by John
McCormack (Tenor).

2.15 p.m. — Close Down.
3.15-8 p.m. — European Programme.
3.15 p.m. — A running commentary
by Frank V. Read of the An-
nual Inter-Port Soccer football
match between teams repre-
senting the Shanghai Foot-
ball Association and the Hong
Kong Football Association. Re-
lay from the Royal Navy Re-
creation Ground, Causeway
Bay. Kick-off at 3.30 p.m.
sharp.

5 p.m. — A Relay of Dance Music
from the Roof-Garden of the
Hong Kong Hotel.

6 p.m. —
From the Studio.
A Children's Concert.

6.30 p.m. —
The Russian Vagabonds.
6.43 p.m. — "Slavonic Rhapsody"
and "Legende" (Ivorak). Play-
ed by the London Phil-
harmonic Orchestra, Conduc-
ted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

7 p.m. —
A Light Concert.
Flute Solo—Fantasia Character-
istique (Anderson)—Edith Pen-
ville.

Choral—Golden slumbers kiss your
eyes (Ocker and Dunhill)—
Boys of St. Mary of the Angels
Choir School.

Baritone Solo—Shepherd, see
thy horse's foaming mane
(Korbay). Had a horse (Kor-
bay)—Keith Falkner.

Pianoforte Solo—Scherzo (Bor-
din)—Sergei Rachmaninoff.
Violin Solo—Allegro (Flocco).
Pale Moon—Indian love song
(Logan)—Albert Sandler.

Contralto Solo—Songs of the
Hebrides—In Hebride Seas,
(Kennedy—Fraser). Kishmul's
Kennedy—Fraser). —
Muriel Brunskill.

7.30 p.m. — Closing local Stock Quo-
tations and Hong Kong Ex-
change Market Report.

7.35 p.m. —
From the Studio
A Recital by Herbert Hestrampt
(Vibraphone) and Gaston
d'Aquino (Tenor).

1. Vibraphone—An old world
serenade—Meyer-Helmund.
2. Tenor—Believe me if all those
endearing young Charms—
Moore.

3. Vibraphone—Souvenir—Drida.
4. Tenor—The Rose of Tralee—
Charles Glover.

5. Vibraphone—The clock is
playing—Blauw.
6. Tenor—Only my song—Lehar.

7. Vibraphone—Poem—Fibich.
8 p.m. — Local: Time Signal, Weather
Report and Announce-
ments.

8.03 p.m. — A Relay from the Lee
Theatre (Chinese).
12 midnight—Close Down.

8.05-11 p.m. — European Programme
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8.05 p.m. —
Tom Jones and His Orchestra.
8.25 p.m. —
Fred Astaire (Vocal) with Gerry
Moore (Piano).

8.55 p.m. — London—News and An-
nouncements.
9.15 p.m. —
Orchestral Music.
Marche Militaire (Schubert)—
Boston Promenade Orchestra.

9.45 p.m. —
Vocal Gems
(a) Riding down from Bangor;
(b) Solomon Levi (Traditional).
—Raymond Newell and the
B.B.C. Male Chorus.

Malre, my girl (Casey and
Altken)—The Maestro Singers.
Hermann Lohr—Vocal Gems—
Columbia Light Opera Com-
pany.

10 p.m. — London—Big Ben.
11 p.m. — Close Down.

FRIDAY
12.30-2.15 p.m. — European Pro-
gramme.
12.30 p.m. — Dance Music.

1 p.m. — Local: Time Signal and
Weather Report.
1.03 p.m. — Songs by Stuart Robert-
son (Bass-Baritone) with Al-
bert Sandler and His Orches-
tra.

1.30 p.m. — Reuter Press. Rugby
Press: Local: Weather Fore-
cast. Time and Announce-
ments.

1.40 p.m. — Gilbert and Sullivan
Excerpts.

2 p.m. — Concert Waltzes.
2.15 p.m. — Close Down.
4-7 p.m. — Chinese Programme.
7-11 p.m. — European Programme.

7 p.m. —
The London Palladium Orchestra.
"Chu Chin Chow"—Selection
(Norton).

In the moonlight (Kestelbey).
Everybody's songs (arr. Geehl).
The Grasshopper's dance (Bu-
caloss).

La Sesta (Barcarolle). (Norton,
arr. Lotter).

7.30 p.m. — Closing local Stock Quo-
tations and Hong Kong Ex-
change Market Report.

7.35 p.m. — London—"Hyde Park."—
A reminiscence narrative telling
the story of London's most
famous green space. Me-
diaeval times—Ordeal by wa-
ter—Opening by Charles I—
Charles II and horse racing.
The sale of Hyde Park—
Sleeping out during the Great
Fire—Public executions—Skat-
ing—The Great Exhibition of
1851. Script by Jonquill An-
tony; Produced by John Pud-
ney.

(8 p.m.)—(Time Signal).
8.05 p.m. — Weather Report and
Announcements.

8.07 p.m. — An organ medley by Re-
ginald Dixon.
8.15 p.m. — London—"The Is Eng-
land." Talks by representa-
tive English people No. 6: L.
G. Emmett of Cornwall, Keep-
er of St. Mawes Castle. Intro-
duced by Anthony Weymouth.
(Electrical Recording).

8.30 p.m. — London—The B.B.C.
Dance Orchestra, directed by
Henry Hall.

8.55 p.m. — London—News and An-
nouncements.

9.15 p.m. —
Overture—"Marriage of Figaro"
(Mozart). Played by the Vienna
Philharmonic Orchestra, Con-
ducted by Clemens Kruss.

From the Studio
9.20 p.m. — The 3rd of a second
series of gramophone recitals
by The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent.

10 p.m. — London—Big Ben. "Em-
pire Exchange." Points of
view by travellers from the
Dominions and Colonies. (Elec-
trical Recording).

10.16 p.m. —
A Variety Programme
Vocal Duets — Flanagan and
Allen Memories—Flanagan and
Allen.

Humorous—Fourth Form at St.
Michaels—Will Hay and His
Scholars.

Orchestra—An old world garden
—Alfredo Campoli and His
Orchestra.

Vocal—He was a gentleman's
Gentleman; The lady from
Mayfair—Michael Carr.

Organ Solo—Femoros—Dance of
the Brides of Kashmir—Marcel
Palotti.

Guitar Duet—Chiquita—Waltz—
Ferreira and Pauluhl.

Vocal—If all the world were
mine—Oracle Fields.

Piano Solo—"Waltz Time" Med-
ley; Dancing Butterfly—Rale
da Costa.

Vocal—Whistling in the dark—
The Viennese Seven Singing
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11 p.m. — Close down.

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THURSDAY

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4 p.m. — Big Ben; "Cue for Adven-
ture." A play with music.
Episode 4: "Trapped in the
Mine." Story by Neil Tuson;
Music by Jack Clarke; pro-
duced by William MacLurg.

4.31 p.m. — The British Industries
Fair, 1937. An introductory
talk by General Smuts, from
South Africa.

4.46 p.m. — A Recital by Empire
Artists: Victor Evans, Austro-
lian barytone, and Arthur
Alexander, New Zealand
pianist.

5.20 p.m. — "Food for Thought."
Three short talks on matters
of topical interest.

5.40 p.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.

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7 p.m. — Big Ben; Songs from the
Early Talking Films.
7.30 p.m. — The British Industries
Fair, 1937.

7.45 p.m. — Harold Coombs, at the
organ of the Capitol Cinema,
Aberdeen.

7.55 p.m. — Crutts Dog Show.
8.10 p.m. — "The Old Folks at
Home"—5.

8.55 p.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.
9.23 p.m. — "Food for Thought."

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10 p.m. — Big Ben; A Violin Recital
by Max Rostal.

10.20 p.m. — "From Atlantic to
Pacific by Car," a talk by the
Dowager Marchioness of Read-
ing.

10.35 p.m. — "The Roosters" (Trans.
2).

11.15 p.m. — The Bournemouth
Municipal Orchestra.

12.30 a.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.

12.50 a.m. — Dance Music.

FRIDAY

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podes and for the East.

4 p.m. — Big Ben; "London Pie"
(Second Edition). A radio
revue. Book and Lyrics by
Harry Howard and Sidney
Vivian, with additional lyric by
Lillian Florenz; music by Harry
Howard, musical arrangements
by Robert Chignell, the cast
supported by Harry Bidgood
and his Band; produced by
William MacLurg.

4.30 p.m. — Beethoven String Quar-
tets—5. The Eudapest String
Quartet.

4.55 p.m. — "Tales of the Sea"—4:
"Diving for Gold." A talk by
Capt. G. C. C. Damant, R.N.

5.10 p.m. — "Mendelssohn in Ken-
sington"; the Barrington Quar-
tet; Harry Isaacs, piano.

5.40 p.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.

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marily for reception in India,
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Indies and West Australia.

7 p.m. — Big Ben; "Cure for Adven-
ture."

7.35 p.m. — "Hyde Park." a reminis-
cent narrative, telling the story
of London's most famous green
space; Mediaeval times—Ordeal
by water—Opening by Charles
I—Charles II and horse-racing.
The sale of Hyde Park—
Sleeping out during the Great
Fire—Public executions—Skat-
ing—The Great Exhibition of
1851; script by Jonquill Antony;
produced by John Pudney.

8.05 p.m. — A Short Piano Recital by
Kathleen Cooper.

8.15 p.m. — "This is England"; talks
by representative English peo-
ple; (6) L. G. Emmett, of Corn-
wall, Keeper of St. Mawes Cas-
tle; introduced by Anthony
Weymouth.

8.30 p.m. — The B.B.C. Dance Or-
chestra, directed by Henry Hall.

8.55 p.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.

Transmission III.
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GSG 9.51mc. (31.55m.)

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Burma, and Ceylon.

10 p.m. — Big Ben; "Empire Ex-
change (Trans. 1)."

10.16 p.m. — Regimental Marches.
10.25 p.m. — "Diamonds." An ac-
tuality programme, produced
by Pascoe Thornton.

10.45 p.m. — Talk: "An East Anglian
Notebook."

10.55 p.m. — The B.B.C. Theatre Or-
chestra (leader, Montague
Brearley).

4 p.m. — "John Londoner at Home"
—5 (Trans. 1).

12.30 a.m. — The News and An-
nouncements.

12.50 a.m. — Dance Music.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

THURSDAY

1.05 p.m. — Call DJA, DJE (German, English).

German Folk Song.

1.10 p.m. — Musical treasures.

2 p.m. — News in German.

2.15 p.m. — Musical treasures (con-
tinued).

2.55 p.m. — Greetings to our listeners
in Australia.

3 p.m. — News and Economic Review
in English.

3.15 p.m. — To-day in Germany.
Sound Pictures.

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STAR:—
"Secret Interlude"

Coming

KING'S:—
"The Gay Desperado"

QUEEN'S:—
"Charlie Chan at The Race Track"

ORIENTAL:—
"Swing Time"

STAR:—
"Sing, Baby, Sing"

MAJESTIC:—
"Earthworm Tractors"

SECRET INTERLUDE

What chance has love between a millionaire's son and a personal maid?

That's the romantic question propounded in the Fox hit, "Secret Interlude" opening to-day at the Star Theatre with Robert Taylor and Loretta Young starred together for the first time as a screen love-team.

Filled with youthful love-making, gay romancing, and vivid drama highlighted with hilarious comedy by the irrepressible Patsy Kelly, "Secret Interlude" is said to be the year's outstanding romantic hit.

Robert Taylor, only son of the wealthy Winfield family, returns home from college and mistakes Loretta Young, his mother's maid for a house guest. He refuses to permit her to explain her situation and this first chance meeting is the keystone of a romance which culminates when the family go to Maine for the summer.

Miss Young has accompanied Mrs. Winfield, and the small confines of the summer resort result in Taylor and the girl being thrown together constantly. One moonlit night, while riding in Taylor's motorboat, they decide to get married.

The Winfields return to their home at the end of summer, and Taylor wants to tell his parents of the marriage. Loretta, however, persuades him that he should first finish his college education and Taylor goes off to school.

The romantic climax of the film comes in a crowded courtroom where Taylor and Miss Young meet again—and the riddle of whether or not their love can continue to exist is answered.

Darryl F. Zanuck selected Roy Del Ruth to direct the film and Raymond Griffith associate producer.

Romances Of Gretna Green

The recommendation of the Morrison Committee to abolish Gretna Green marriages will remind older literary saleroom frequenters that a bit of a stir was caused 25 years ago when over 1,000 original certificates of marriage celebrated at Gretna Hall between 1825 and 1854 were offered to open competition.

Tom Hodge, the veteran auctioneer of Sotheby's, then declared at the old Wellington-street rooms that the lot was one of the "most curiously interesting" which he had ever up for sale. Yet he had had the experience of selling a Mazarin Bible which he had found at the last moment in an old medicine cupboard in a Scottish castle; the final revise of "Paradise Lost," dictated by Milton to his amanuensis; the tinker's anvil of John Bunyan, and many other relics.

The certificates, with the Gretna Hall "Marriage Register," offered on March 29, 1912, were of marriages made chiefly by John Linton, who, after having been confidential servant to Sir James Graham at Netherby Hall, invested savings in the purchase of Gretna Hall, which he turned into an inn for receiving eloping couples. Netherby will be always associated with Scott's "Lochinvar" and his bride.

Linton's inn soon became the chief marriage factory among many which have flourished at Gretna since the previous century, and it was one of Linton's descendants who sent the parcels of certificates to Sotheby's. Owing to the heavy reserve price the lot was withdrawn at £420—roughly 6s 8d a copy.

TARZAN ESCAPES

Tarzan has gone native! Johnny Weissmuller had to put in a week studying the native Swahili language, to play his famous character in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's latest adventure thriller of the jungles, "Tarzan Escapes," which comes to-day to the King's Theatre, with Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan reunited in another series of thrills.

In the new picture Weissmuller converses with natives. The services of Dr. Ernest Wilson, negro physician, were enlisted. Dr. Wilson was born in Africa, near Victoria Falls, as a youth was taken to England and later to New York, where he studied medicine. He practiced in Harlem, then travelled West. Speaking the native tongue perfectly, he coached Weissmuller and others who had to learn the extremely intricate language.

The new story, based on the famous Edgar Rice Burroughs character, deals with the attempt of a white hunter to capture Tarzan for exhibition purposes.

The terrific battle between a herd of stampeding elephants and hostile natives, the perilous escape from a quicksand quagmire, the attack of the giant vampire bats, Tarzan's escape from an animal cage—these are but a few of the thrilling episodes in the story of the life of the ape-man and his mate who dwell in the jungle in a treacherous bungalow with apes for allies.

Richard Thorpe directed the new picture, the cast including John Buckler, Benita Hume, William Henry and hundreds of natives. Several hundred lions, elephants, crocodiles, panthers, leopards, hyenas, zebras, hippos and other species were used in filming the astounding story.

Col. Legh's Future

Col. Piers Legh, I understand, will retain his post as Equerry to the King, writes a Home correspondent.

His appointment will allow him to keep the quarters in St. James's Palace which were granted to him in the last reign. He and Mrs. Legh were moving into them at the time of the abdication.

Col. Legh has been continuously in the Royal service since 1919, when he became Equerry to the Prince of Wales.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Chinese New Year (XXVI of the Republic, October 1911). The Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes (a. 1858). Bank Holiday.

Cinemas.

King's:—"Tarzan Escapes."

Queen's:—"That Girl From Paris."

Oriental:—"Hooray For Love."

World:—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra:—"Three Smart Girls."

Majestic:—"Our Relations."

Star:—"Secret Interlude."

Dances.—Kowloon Cricket Club Dance in honour of Canton Tennis Players.

Miscellaneous.—St. Andrew's Club all-day hike to Jubilee Dam; St. Andrew's Women's Fellowship, 3 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club "Open Night," 9 p.m.

Moon.—New Moon, 3.34 p.m. I Moon, 1st Day.

Social.—Civil Service C.C. Whist Drive 9.20 p.m.

Sports.

Cricket.—Hong Kong C.C. v. United Services (H. K. C. C.) ground, 11 a.m.

Football.—Interport, Hong Kong v. Shanghai (Causeway Bay), 3.30 p.m.; Third Division, Kumon Rifles v. Royal Engineers (Chatham Road), 4.15 p.m.

Tennis.—Kowloon C.C. v. German Karten Klub (King's Park). Sunrise.—6.58 a.m. Sunset.—6.17 p.m.

Tides.—High at 10.05 and 21.17; Low at 3.45 and 14.52.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Mohammedan Dulhagga. The Seven Founders of the Order of the Services of Our Lady. Fifteenth Anniversary of the Coronation of Pope Pius XI (1922). Lincoln's Birthday (U.S.A.) Bank Holiday.

Cinemas.

King's:—"Tarzan Escapes."

Queen's:—"That Girl From Paris."

Oriental:—"Hooray For Love."

World:—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra:—"Three Smart Girls."

Majestic:—"Our Relations."

Star:—"Secret Interlude."

Dances.—St. John Ambulance Ball, Hong Kong Hotel.

Lectures.—Helena May Christian Fellowship meeting, 10.30 a.m.

Moon.—Jewish New Moon. Chinese 1 Moon, 2nd Day.

Religious.—The Way of the Cross, Catholic Cathedral, 5.30 p.m.

Sports.

Cricket.—Hongkong C.C. v. United Services (H.K.C.C. ground), 11 a.m.

Hockey.—Interport, Hongkong v. Shanghai (Hongkong F.C.), 3.15 p.m.; Nomads v. H.M.S.; Adventure, King's Park, 4.00 p.m.

Lawn Bowls.—Kowloon Bowling Green Club's Attaboy Competition, 10.15 a.m.

Sunrise.—6.57 a.m. Sunset.—6.18 p.m.

Tides.—High at 10.28 and 22.0; Low at 4.19 and 15.35.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Catherine of Ricci.

Dances.—R.A.M.C. Assn. Dance, at Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

Moon.—1 Moon, 3rd Day.

Social.—Civil Service C.C. Whist Drive, 9.30 p.m.

Sports.

Cricket.—Chinese R.C. v. European Press (C.R.C. ground), 2 p.m.; First Division, Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon C.C. (F); Indian R.C. v. Army (F); Hongkong C.C. v. Civil Service C.C. (F); Second Division, Civil Service C.C. v. Hongkong C.C. (F); Kowloon C.C. v. C.B.S. (F); University v. Indian R.C. (F).

Football.—Combined Chinese v. Shanghai Interport XI (Caroline Hill), 3.30 p.m.

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A novelty in musical pictures, with an hilariously funny story as a thread on which the world's foremost coloratura soprano strings her pearls of song, is offered to picture-goers in "That Girl From Paris," which is showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre, with Lily Pons, Jack Oakie and Gene Raymond in the cast.

Breaking away entirely from the customary type of musical comedy, the new offering turns out to be a gay laugh-feast from start to finish, with a notable cast aiding the tiny prima donna in her mirthful endeavours.

The story begins in Paris, where Miss Pons meets a happy-go-lucky

American saxophonist a moment after she leaves her fiancé at the altar. The little singer follows her new friend to America, much to his consternation, and on eluding the immigration authorities, she makes herself at home with him and his musical associates.

Fearful of implications with the officials, the boys face the problem of keeping her out of sight in a series of side-splitting situations, complicated by various jealousies as the plot develops. The climax is hilarious in the extreme. Interspersed through the high-speed story are Miss Pons' magnificent renditions of "Strauss," "Blue Danube," "Una Voce Poce Fa," from "The Barber of Seville" by Rossini, Panofka's "Tarantella" and three modern numbers by Arthur Schwartz and Edward Heyman.

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EUROPEAN ARRESTS SNATCHER

Carpenter Who Was Out Of Work

Appearing before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday Leung Kai, 29, unemployed, was remanded for forty eight hours for medical examination on a charge of snatching a handbag from Mrs. Platt on February 8.

Det-Sgt. Estall, prosecuting, said that Mrs. Platt, who resided at 373, the Peak, was in the act of boarding her car in Gloucester Road when defendant snatched the bag from her hand. Mr. Dyer, of 5, Queen's Gardens, who was nearby, chased Leung and caught him. The bag contained \$17 in money and articles valued at \$20, which were all recovered.

In reply to his Worship defendant said that he was born in the Colony and that he had been an itinerant carpenter but was now out of a job.

PICKED POCKET

Lam Chi, 38-year-old unemployed appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with picking \$4 from the pocket of Leung Shing, 44, fisherman.

Inspector O'Connor informed his Worship that defendant came out of a tea house at Chi Ma Ti and Leung felt a hand in his pocket. Complainant turned and saw defendant's hand being extracted from his pocket.

Defendant, who was a police supervisee, was ordered to be placed under police supervision for two further years.

Chinese Commended By Magistrate

A witness to a pick-pocketing incident, Chan On, was warmly commended by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday. His Worship said that he had performed his duty as a good citizen in apprehending Chan Fak-kee, who snatched a purse from a Chinese woman. Chan On was given \$4 for bringing the culprit to justice as he was an unemployed seaman.

Defendant, who said that he was an unemployed blacksmith, was sentenced to four months' hard labour.

Banished Gaoled

Sentence of six months' imprisonment was imposed by Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on Ng Pan, 43, a returned banished who was deported from the Colony for a period of ten years in October last. Inspector Rogers said that defendant was arrested on Monday.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS

Murder Case On The Calendar

The Criminal Sessions for February will commence on February 15, and the calendar, as posted up in the Supreme Court, is as follows:—

Chan Tak-cheung; Lam Yan; Wu Lai; Liu Choi; Wong Nin, alias Kam Chak; and Wong Him, all on charges of breach of the Deportation Order.

Wong Sheung-sang, possession of dangerous drug and importing drug.

Chan Yuk-man and Wong Fong; So Mi-chen, Chung Chin-yau and Wong Lin; and Tsing Chung-siu alias Yu Kwong, possession of dangerous drug.

Tsang Hop, possession of arms and ammunition.

Wong Yip, uttering a forged note and possession of a forged note.

Lam Choi; Lam Li-Kwong and Chan Hak-mul, robbery by two or more.

Wong Fat-chi, murder.

ARMED ROBBERY

Village Scout Fired At

An armed robbery occurred in Po Kok village, New Territories, in the early hours of Tuesday.

According to a Police report Fung Kam-chen said he was asleep when he was awakened by a person trying to force open the door. His wife was sleeping in another room. He saw three men enter, two wearing masks and the other armed with a revolver. The robbers forced him and his wife on to a bed, and while the man with the revolver was covering them, the others ransacked the house. They took away money and articles to the total value of \$18.

A village scout reported that he saw a fourth man standing in the alleyway leading to the house. The man fired a shot at him but missed. A spent shell and two live rounds were later found.

Burglar Caught In Kowloon Flat

Appearing before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Wong Sam, alias Wong Po-ching, alias Wong Sin-wah, was charged with house breaking and the larceny of articles and money to a total value of \$81 from Mr. Philip Coombs, of 51B, Hillwood Road, second floor.

In the witness box, complainant said that about midnight on Tuesday, he was disturbed by a sound in the hallway. He made investigation. When he met defendant he struggled with him, and at same time told his aman to call for the police. Defendant was taken to the Water Police Station, where he was searched and a watch and a \$10 note were found in his possession.

His Worship sentenced defendant to six months' imprisonment.

CLAN CHIEF'S FORTUNE

Devoted Nurses Remembered

Requests to nurses "in recognition of devoted care and attention" are included in the will of Sir FitzRoy Donald MacLean of Duart Castle, Mull, veteran chief of the Clan MacLean, who died on November 22 last at the age of 101, leaving unsettled estate of the gross value of £183,430 9s 1d, with net personally £180,080 0s 7d, on which Estate Duty of £58,148 10s 11d has been paid.

Sir FitzRoy left his Scottish property upon trust for his son, Lachlan MacLean, and his heirs; £1000 to his son-in-law, Brigadier-General Marsham;

Annuities of £52 each to Miss Annie Livingstone and Annie Hewitt;

£100 to the Clan MacLean Association;

£200 and an annuity of £200 to his nurse-companion, Miss Gertrude Stainton; £50 to his former housekeeper, Alice Fox; annuities of £52 each to his former coachman, Frederick Goddard, and Eve Wenham, widow of his gardener, James Wenham.

THEFT OF GEESE AND CHICKENS

Lau Lol, unemployed, was brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for the theft of two geese and ten chickens.

Det-Sgt. Estall said that Mr. Morgan, of Mount Parish Government Quarters reported to the police the loss of some of his fowls. As complainant had been robbed before he took the police to the same locality from where he recovered his former loss and found defendant and the fowls there. Defendant was in the hut and the geese and chickens were out in the yard.

Defendant admitted the thefts when questioned.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed.

COLONEL COMMANDANT. R.A.M.C.

The King has approved the appointment of Major-General H. Ensor, D.S.O., as Colonel Commandant, Royal Army Medical Corps, in succession to Major-General O. L. Robinson, who has attained the age limit for the appointment.

"Three Smart Girls" tells the amusing story of three daughters of a rich New Yorker who upset their father's May-December romance with a gold-digging blonde. The title roles are played by little Miss Durbin, Nan Grey and Barbara Read.

As the father, Charles Winninger essays a new type of role and turns in a grand performance. Miss Barnes plays the part of the gold-digger and Miss Brady is ideally cast as the blonde's scheming mother. Mischa Auer is a hit as an impoverished nobleman whom the three youngsters hire to lure the adventuress away from their giddy parent.

Ray Milland and John King provide handsome romantic interest as sweethearts of the two elder of the three girls. The remainder of the cast includes Ernest Cossart, Hobart Cavanaugh, Lucille Watson and Nella Walker.

Unregistered Mui Tsai

Mau Suk-ming, 38-year-old married woman, was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for keeping an unregistered mui tsai at 3, Li Kwan Avenue, ground floor, on January 28.

Inspector H. W. Fraser of the S.C.A., prosecuted.

Mr. W. A. Mackinlay appeared for Pang Wai-ying who was the present occupant of the house, and informed his Worship that Mau Suk-ming had been absent from the Colony for a long time, and that he represented the present occupant who said that the girl was not a mui tsai.

Inspector Fraser said that the girl, Lai Yuet-ying alias Fu Yung, 21, was the mui tsai of Mau Suk-ming, and that he would ask for an adjournment for further inquiries.

Mr. Mackinlay informed his Worship that it could be adjourned sine die and if there was further action his client would appear.

A week's remand was granted.

Stole From Employer

Tze Hong appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for the larceny of \$28.79 from his former employer.

Sub-Inspector Darkin said that defendant was given the money with which to pay bills on January 30, but he had not been seen since.

His Worship ordered defendant to pay \$28.79 amends or a fine of \$50 or a month in gaol.

DAUGHTER OF GENERAL W. BOOTH DEAD

Miss Marian Booth, daughter of General William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, and sister of the present leader, General Evangeline Booth, died at her Sudbury home, aged 72.

She took no active part in Salvation Army work, having been an invalid all her life, but her father gave her the honorary title of "Staff captain."

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How To Avoid A Slump

While we shall be prudent to take such steps as I have indicated to prevent the present recovery from developing into a precarious boom, I admit that I do not see much sign of this, except, perhaps, in certain special directions, writes a Home correspondent. For the moment we have the rearmament expenditure superimposed on the building activity and on the large non-recurrent investment in working capital and in renewals which are characteristic of a recovery as such; and that is a situation which suggests caution.

But, on the other hand, our export industries remain, on the whole, inactive; the peak of the non-recurrent investment in increased working capital (which in the last two or three years has been much larger per annum than the cost of rearmament now is) may be behind us; sooner or later the building activity will relax; and the cost of rearmament is neither permanent nor large enough while it lasts to sustain prosperity by itself. (In 1936 at least seven or eight times as much was spent on new building as on rearmament). Thus our main preoccupation should be concerned not so much with avoiding the perils of a somewhat hypothetical boom as with advance precautions against that sagging away of activity which, if it is allowed to cumulate after the usual fashion, will once again develop into a slump. Too much alarm about a hypothetical boom will be just the

way to make a slump inevitable. There is nothing wrong with the very moderate prosperity we now enjoy. Our object must be to stabilize it and to distribute it more widely, not to diminish it.

POSITIVE PRECAUTIONS
Thus we need constructive preparations against the future. Recent experience has shown us how long it takes to prepare for useful investment; and what careful handling is necessary to develop a psychological state in the investment market which will accept a reduction in the long-term rate of interest. Moreover, it will be much easier to check a recession if we intervene at its earliest stages. For if it is allowed to develop, cumulative forces of decline will be set in motion which it may prove almost impossible to check until they have run their course. If we are to be successful we must intervene with moderate measures of expansion before the decline has become visible to the general public. One factor only shall we have in our favour—namely, the improvement in our export trade with the raw-material countries which I now anticipate with confidence at a date not far distant. In other directions we shall be hard put to it, in my opinion, to develop useful activities on an adequate scale. The menace of the next slump, and what that would mean to our institutions and traditions, if it comes, should be at our elbow, urging us to new policies and boldness of mind.

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AN ANONYMOUS GIFT

When "The Discovery," Captain Scott's famous ship in which he and his adventurous band of explorers sailed the Antarctic, was presented to the Boy Scouts Association just over a few weeks ago, the Association also received another magnificent gift—a substantial sum of money to help towards the upkeep of the ship—from an anonymous donor whose name was not to be disclosed during the donor's lifetime. The person was known as "Mr. A."

By the death of Lady Houston recently, the mystery of "Mr. A." is solved, for it was she who made the gift of money which enabled the Boy Scouts Association to accept the offer of the Discovery made by the Colonial Office in consultation with the Government of the Falkland Islands. It is understood that this was Lady Houston's last gift to charity before her death.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE SOUGHT

Although Lady Houston's gift is a considerable amount, it is not sufficient to ensure the annual upkeep of "The Discovery," and as it is to be kept as a living memorial to Captain Scott and other explorers, it is hoped that the public may be prepared to assist by giving further financial support.

The Discovery is now lying at the East India Dock, and it is hoped that a suitable berth will be found for her in the Thames near to London.

The Sea Scouts will be very proud of this ship in which Captain Robert Falcon Scott, who was her first Commander and most famous of explorers of the frozen wastes, Lieut. Ernest Shackleton (late Sir Ernest), Dr. Edward Wilson, Petty Officer Edgar Evans, and Mr. Frank Wild (now Commander Wild) were among those on the first voyage.

SHIP'S REMARKABLE HISTORY

The ship has a remarkable history. It was towards the end of the nineteenth century that a renewed interest in the Antarctic led to the building of The Discovery, which was built by the Dundee Shipbuilding Company, and was launched in 1901. Through the efforts of the Royal Society and the Royal Geographical Society a sum of £47,000 was subscribed, to which was added a Government grant of £45,000. In July, 1901, the ship set off on her first adventurous voyage under the command of Commander Robert Falcon Scott, R.N., then a young officer of 32.

She made for the Ice Barrier sighted by Sir James Ross sixty years earlier and her 500-h.p. engines enabled her to free herself through the ice in four days into the Ross Sea. Observations of Victoria Land were made and a new coast, named after King Edward VII, was discovered.

ICEBERG FOR TWO YEARS

Winter quarters were set up on Ross Island, near the 78th parallel, not far from Mt. Erebus. Here The Discovery was icebound from March, 1902, until February, 1904. Scott and his lieutenants made sledge journeys of exploration and Scott's own party reached a latitude of 82 deg. 16 min. on December 30, 1902. The following year Scott trekked to the west for 300 miles over the South Victoria plateau. The information gained was far in excess of anything previously obtained.

Captain Scott made another expedition in the Terra Nova in 1910 and arrived at the South Pole on January 18, 1912, only to find that Amundsen had forestalled him by thirty-three days. Scott's whole party perished in the blizzards in March of that year.

The Discovery was afterwards employed as headquarters of an expedition to study the habits of whales in the Antarctic seas, under the command of Lieutenant-Commander Stenhouse, R.N.R. The British Government chartered The Discovery from 1920 to 1921 and lent her to Sir Douglas Mawson, leader of the B.A.N.Z.A.R.

WATER RETURNS

Storage During January

The monthly water return shows that the total island storage on February 1 was 1,261.98 million gallons, as compared with 1,520.08 million gallons for January last year.

A constant supply was given to all districts during the whole month.

The total storage on the mainland was 1,740.01 million gallons as compared with 1,889.91 million gallons for the corresponding month last year.

As on the Island, a constant supply was given to all districts during the month.

On the Island an estimated population of 441,900 consumed 331.85 million gallons at an average of 27.9 per head per day, while on the mainland an estimated population of 328,300 consumed 240.91 million gallons at an average of 23.7 gallons per head per day.

Additional amount of water supplied to the Laichikok Water Boat Dock during January was 7.67 million gallons.

Total rainfall recorded by the Royal Observatory for January was 2.75 inches.

FATAL MOTOR MISHAP

Knocked down by a car driven by Dr. S.S. Strahan at Hennessy Road on February 2, Chan Cheung died at the Government Civil Hospital on Tuesday night, according to a police report.

It is believed that the man suddenly dashed across the road, and in an attempt to avoid him, Dr. Strahan applied the brakes, causing the car to overturn.

Expedition, who has discovered more continental coastline than any other explorer.

CEYLON PROPOSES SCOUT COLONY

Instead Of Borstal Institutes

A Scout colony at Kalutala, Ceylon, an estate of 50 acres, established in 1931 for training boys in Agriculture, Food Production, and Character training, by applying Scout methods, has met with such outstanding success that a proposal to establish four other Scout colonies on Crown land, each extending over a hundred acres, instead of the establishment of a proposed Borstal Institute has been made to His Excellency the Governor of Ceylon by the Chief Commissioner of Boy Scouts there. The matter has been referred to the Home Ministry, and is being considered.

The colony at Kalutala has three main sections.—1. Agricultural; which undertakes training in practical agriculture for those who intend to go out and colonize under the Ceylon Middle Class Scheme. 2. Teaching; to produce teachers who will be of practical value to the schools, able, apart from ordinary teaching, to encourage agriculture in schools, make and repair school furniture and buildings, teach religion, hygiene, handicrafts and folk dancing. 3. Boys' School; this is mainly for Wolf Cubs, education being bi-lingual, and includes outdoor activities and rural science.

COMMUNITY WORK

All colonists do community work in the paddy field, in planting, in building, or in constructing roads, wells, etc., and all are trained in cooking, sewing and other crafts, to achieve independence. There are no servants; cooking, building, cleaning, etc., are all done by the colonists.

The Colony has received high commendation from educationalists in all parts of the world.

TRAINING FOR CAREERS

Young convicts expected to go to the Borstal Institute may be admitted to these colonies in reasonable numbers and made to share the life of the community and train themselves for agricultural or industrial careers. They will be treated as ordinary members of the colonies so long as their conduct remains satisfactory.

The Chief Commissioner for the Ceylon Boy Scouts has pointed out to the Governor that the methods of the Scout colony are much more advanced than the methods employed in Borstal Institutes. Simple cottages, built by the colonists themselves, would appeal more to the self-respect of the colonists than imposing buildings and iron gates.

CROSS-SUMMONS WITHDRAWN

All Parties Bound Over For Year

When Mrs. C. Toledo and her son, Mr. Alberto Toledo summoned Wong Hui on February 5 for spitting on the staircase in front of her flat the Magistrate ordered Wong to clean up the "mess."

Yesterday, before Mr. W. Schofield, a cross-summons was brought by Wong Hui against Mrs. Toledo and her son for assaulting him in his own home.

Mr. J. M. D'Almada Remedios represented Wong and Sub-Inspector W. N. Dinkin appeared for the police.

Mr. Remedios informed his Worship that it was alleged that a totally different story had been told previously, and that extreme provocation was the cause of the whole affair.

As his Worship said that the former case was not concluded Mrs. Toledo was again put into the witness box. She deposed that defendant played mah jong every night with his friends and they made plenty of noise until between 2 and 3 every morning. She also accused defendant of expectorating daily in front of her door.

On the evening of February 3, continued the witness, she and her son were having dinner when they heard a God awful noise of someone clearing his throat, and then spitting. She went outside with a bowl of rice in her hand and reprimanded defendant, but he spat again at her food and at her. She and her son then went into defendant's flat to ask him to go to the police station and she had her arm jammed in the doorway of the kitchen for her pains. Her son attempted to strike defendant but she stopped him.

In the witness box, Alberto Toledo said that he was very angry when he saw his mother's arm in the door-way and forced his way into the kitchen and hit defendant once in the face.

Mr. Remedios then suggested to his Worship that all the parties should be bound over as he could not imagine anyone not going to the aid of his mother if she was spit upon.

The cross-summons was withdrawn and all parties were bound over in the sum of \$25 each in personal bonds to keep the peace for a year.

POSSESSION OF ARMS

Sequel To Raid

As a result of a raid carried out on January 12, at 602, Canton Road, second floor, the occupants, Chan Hei-yin, 30, Li Wai, 29, widow, and six others were arrested and charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macpherson at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon for the possession of two revolvers and eleven rounds of ammunition found in a suitcase in the rear cubicle.

Detective-Inspector A. H. Elston applied for the withdrawal of the charge against Li Wai and the six defendants.

Outlining the case, Inspector Elston said that acting on information received, accompanied by Sgt. Macpherson he went to the premises and found three baskets, one of which contained two keys which fitted a suitcase that was found in the rear cubicle. When the case was opened the revolvers were discovered.

Defendant denied the ownership of the firearms, and also the suitcase which contained them. Li Wai said that the suitcase was brought there by a friend, and she had no knowledge of the contents. She was told that it only contained books.

Sgt. J. E. Scott, Police Armourer, gave evidence that the revolvers were serviceable, and were fully loaded when they were handed to him for examination by Sgt. Macpherson.

Defendant was discharged owing to insufficient evidence.

EMBEZZLER FINED

Tse Chung, 23, appeared before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy charged on four counts of embezzlement from his employer, Leung Yu-kwong. The sums involved were \$48.35, \$25, \$12.35 and \$11.

Sgt. McKay, who prosecuted, informed his Worship that the money was collected by defendant and he was told to wait at the office until

HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

(ORDERS BY LT.-COL. R. G. B. ANDERSON, M.C. COMMANDANT HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS)

HOLIDAYS

Corps Headquarters will be closed for the Chinese New Year Holidays on Thursday, 11th and Friday, 12th February.

PARADE

1st Battery

Gunlaying Examination: No. 1594, L/Bdr. C. L. Aris has qualified as a C.D. Gunlayer.

Photograph: This can be seen at Ming Yuen, 6 Queen's Road Central.

"A" Section: Annual Camp will be held at Pak Sha Wan from Friday, 19th to Sunday, 21st instant. Any member who cannot attend must ask for permission in writing from the Battery Commander.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 5.30 p.m. calling at Kowloon at 5.40 p.m.

Dress: Service cap, tunic with lanyard, slacks, black boots, web belt, haversack, water bottle, steel helmet, box respirator and great coat. Blue caps, overalls and gun-platform shoes will also be brought.

"L" Section: There will be no parade on Friday, 18th instant.

No. 2 Improved Battery (M Section)

Wednesday, February 17: Parade in H.M.S. Tamar at 5.30 p.m.

Corps Engineers

Monday, February 15: Parade at Miniature Range at 5.30 p.m.

Thursday, February 18: Parade at Belchers at 5.45 p.m. for D.E.L. Manning.

Corps Signals

Parade at Corps H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 16.

There will be a Cable-laying exercise on Sunday, February 21. All who are able to attend will please notify L/Corpl. Wadmore not later than Wednesday, February 17. Details of time and place will be issued individually to those attending.

M.G. Troop

Tuesday, February 16: Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. M.G. Film-Mechanism.

Armoured Car Section

Tuesday, February 16: Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. M.G. Film-Mechanism.

All ranks are reminded to keep the forenoon of Sunday, February 21, free for Rifle Practice at Stonecutters Range.

Motor M.G. Platoon

Wednesday, February 10:—B Class: M.G. Instruction—Preparation for carrying on firing when target is obscured.

C Class: M.G. Instruction—I.A. Cause and Effect.

A tactical ride will be held on Sunday, March 14 on the Island. All ranks are expected to attend. Please keep this date free.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company

Friday, February 19: Parade at Corps H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. for M.G. Instruction.

No. 2 (Scottish) Company

Thursday, February 18: Parade at 5.30 p.m.

"THE BLUE-STOCKINGS"

Arts Association Production

Hong Kong theatre-goers will have the opportunity this month seeing one of the outstanding plays of the year. We refer to "The Blue-Stockings" which will be produced by the Hong Kong University Arts Association under the direction of Mr. A. H. Patterson, B.A., in the University Great Hall, by kind permission, on Saturday, February 20 at 9 p.m. Advance bookings open at the King's Theatre on Friday, February 5.

The prices of admission have been fixed at \$2, \$1 and 50 cents.

A special performance for the senior classes of schools on Friday, the 19th February at 6.30 p.m. at the reduced rate of 50 cents to all seats. Heads of schools who have not yet received a circular on the subject should communicate with the Hon. Business Manager care of the Hong Kong University Arts Faculty.

Registry Wedding

The wedding took place at The Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday between Mr. Ku Se-tek, manager of the Chinese Chemical Company, Manila, and Miss Lee Glok-ha of No. 7, Sung Street, Kowloon City.

Mr. J. P. Murphy, Assistant Registrar of Marriages, officiated while the witnesses were Messrs. Chou Shing-sul and Lee Yac-sul. Following the Registry ceremony, a reception was held at the Hotel Cecil where a large number of relatives and friends gathered to offer their felicitations.

WEDDING

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Dr. Chan Chin-kwong, of 577 Nathan Road, and Miss Lam Sek-cheong, residing at 7 Gramplan Road, Kowloon Tong.

AMBULANCE BRIGADE

The Director of Ambulance has the honour to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations:—

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HONG KONG WATER SUPPLY

It is hereby notified that commencing on Sunday, 14th instant, the hours of supply to all districts on the Island will be

6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department,
Hong Kong, 10th Feb., 1937.

NOTICE

I, Arthur John Mann, hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife Carmen Navarro Guirerra Mann.

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H. K. HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL SHOW OF FLOWERS and VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS on TUESDAY, the 2nd MARCH, 1937, from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. and WEDNESDAY, the 3rd MARCH, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

ENTRIES WILL BE FINITELY CLOSE at the Hon. Secretary's Office, Stock Exchange Building, Ice House Street, at NOON on THURSDAY, the 25th FEBRUARY, 1937, but intending exhibitors are requested to SEND in THEIR ENTRIES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

MEMBERS who have not yet paid their subscriptions and ALL THOSE who wish to join the Society are requested to send \$5.00 to the UNDERSIGNED.

J. T. BAGRAM,
Hon. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 3rd Feb., 1937.

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HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the HONG KONG HOTEL, Hong Kong, on THURSDAY, the 18th, February, 1937, at 12 noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1936.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 8th, February to THURSDAY, 18th, February, both days inclusive.

John D. Humphreys & Son,
General Managers.

Hong Kong, 30th, January, 1937

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HONG KONG/JAPAN CONFERENCE

Foreign & Chinese Shippers.

NOTICE is hereby given that as from the 1st March, 1937, rates of freight from Hong Kong to Moji, Kobe, Osaka, Nagoya and Yokohama will be increased 20 per cent over current rates.

Schedules showing current rates as from the 1st March, 1937, are now in course of preparation, and will be issued shortly.

Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.
Secretaries, Hongkong/Japan Freight Conference.

Hong Kong, 5th February, 1937.

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HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, on Saturday, the 27th February, 1937, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1936.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 15th February to Saturday, the 27th February, 1937 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 8th February, 1937.

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Good-Bye To Gretna Green

If Scots law still shows an example of common-sense to England in the matter of divorces, Englishmen may take to themselves some comfort from the fact that a Scottish Departmental Committee has just recommended that marriage laws in existence north of the Border shall in effect be harmonised with English practice. The Committee, in brief, recommends the abolition of what are known as "irregular marriages," and the recognition, after a given date, only of religious ceremonies of marriage or of civil marriage before registrars.

Hitherto, it has been possible for couples who have been (in English eyes) merely posing as married, or even betrothed, to claim that a legal marriage binds them. When the certainty of the bond has been subsequently disputed, great distress has been caused to both parties, to their children, or to the men and women who have subsequently married more regularly one of the partners to such a match.

Less frequent, but hardly less distressing, cases where it was the validity of the marriage that caused the tragedy were cited in the evidence given before the Committee. These were the cases of irresponsible young people who, looking upon a Gretna Green union as half a romance and half a joke, married on a foolish and fleeting impulse, and had cause to repent their rashness for the rest of their lives.

Until Lord Brougham's Act of 80 years ago, runaway English heirs and heiresses, fortune-hunters and romantics of either sex, used to dash northwards by post-chaise and across the Border to make marriages by Scots law, without notice. Gretna Green won such fame that Horace Walpole mentions a nobleman who would not enter the same vehicle as a match-making mother for fear of being "carried to Gretna Green and married by force." But since 1857 the matrimonial privileges of Gretna (which are, incidentally, no greater than of any place in Scotland) have been reserved for residents in Scotland,

35 Women Embroider Royal Robes

Thirty-five of the finest needlewomen in the country are to embroider the canopy to be held over the King and Queen during the anointing at the Coronation ceremony. They will also do the embroidery work on the King's robe, and probably on the Queen's dress and train.

The needlewomen have been chosen by Lady Smith-Dorrien, principal of the Royal School of Needlework, London.

The King's robe will be that which was made at the school in 1902 for King Edward VII., and it is to be sent to the school shortly to be thoroughly examined and repaired if necessary.

ROSES AND THISTLES
It is of cloth of gold embroidered all over with coloured emblems—red Tudor roses, green shamrocks, purple thistles, and silver eagles.

Upon the golden canopy raised silver eagles will be applied on to the border. There will be 18 of these eagles around the edge. Two samples of cloth of gold from which the canopy itself will be made have arrived at the school. One of the samples is pure cloth of gold and is priced at £14 a yard.

The canopy will be lined with rich white satin and supported at each corner by four slender silver poles made by a famous Court Jeweller. The whole canopy will be finished with silver tassels.

Lady Smith-Dorrien, who is now one of the busiest women in London, is making arrangements for

another visit to the Queen to discuss designs for Her Majesty's robes.

TO SUBMIT DESIGNS
The Queen, who is president of the school, has asked us to submit designs for the embroidery of her Coronation dress and train, and we are hoping that the work will be done at the school," explained Lady Smith-Dorrien.

"I have been busy getting out designs, and in those for the train we have included in the centre a large 'E' with a crown above it. In the other part of the design we have included the thistle, the Tudor rose, the shamrock, and the daffodil, instead of the Welsh leek. The train itself will be made of royal purple velvet, the texture of which is perfect that the firm where it is woven can turn it out only at the rate of three yards a week. The design chosen will be carried out in gold and silver, and perhaps a little diamante.

QUEEN'S SATIN DRESS
The dress to be worn by the Queen," continued Lady Smith-Dorrien, "will be made of white gold, and perhaps also a little diamante.

"We are submitting designs for the embroidery of the dress as well, and they include similar emblems to those used in the design for the train.

"In the dress designs we are trying to get every Colony and Dominion represented by emblems, with probably lotus flowers for India."

PASSENGERS

Departures By Aeneas

The following passengers sailed by the s.s. Aeneas for the United Kingdom, via ports, yesterday:—
Mr. and Mrs. Arns, Miss Adey, Mrs. F. M. Adey, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Bass, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Garmie, Mr. G. F. D. Campbell, Mrs. R. H. Chandless, Mrs. B. L. Evans, Miss M. J. Fisher, Mr. P. D. G. Gain, Miss I. P. Humphrey, Miss G. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McAdam, Miss F. M. McAdam, Mr. D. J. Mullin, Dr. J. S. McKenna, Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. A. Ritchie and infant and amah, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Burton Sayer, Miss M. A. Sayer, Mrs. A. G. Turnbull, Mrs. F. J. Wakenfield, Mrs. Watson, Eng-Comdr. S. G. West, D.S.C., R.N., Dr. Watson, Mrs. White, Mrs. Wood.

The s.s. Rhezenor is expected to arrive here from Sourabaya on February 12 at p.m.

The s.s. Gneissau will arrive here to-day at 6 a.m. She will berth alongside Kowloon Wharf and will sail for Japan and Shanghai at 6 p.m. on the same day.

King's Memorial Fund

London, Feb. 9.
The King George V National Memorial Fund has now reached a total of £253,000. Added to this total are gifts of land valued at over £100,000.

The recent and novel proposal that Bank customers direct the banks to devote the odd shillings and pence of their balances to the Memorial Fund on a specified date has resulted in the sum of £196,000 being paid in.

Reuter.

or at most for couples one of whom has lived in Scotland for the previous three weeks.

Thanks, however to legend, judiciously fostered by the former owner of the Gretna "smithy," Gretna has of late years been the scene of "marriages" by many English couples without these qualifications.

The 2,000 or so couples who have sought the "blacksmith's" blessing in the past ten years have included Chinese and Finns, Americans and Europeans.

Now that it is revealed that the "smithy" never shod a horse, or the "smith" worked at a forge, the romance of Gretna appears somewhat tarnished. Parliament will doubtless put an end to all the pretensions of "irregular" marriages, whether at Gretna Green or anywhere else in Scotland.

YACHTING

Yesterday's Results

The following were the results of yesterday's yacht races held at North Point:—
(Result) "H" Class—Started 14.40
Diana; 18.36.45; 18.36.45 (1) (Mr. R. Barnett).

Dorthea (Lt.-Col. S. D. Reid).
"A" Class—Started 14.45
Painted Lady; 17.11.25 (1) (Mrs. P. M. Newman).

Lobo (Mrs. E. R. Edwards).
Eve (Mrs. S. Hopkinson).

Joss (Mr. K. S. G. Garner-Smith).
Cicada (Mr. F. S. Coote).

Kittiwake, D.N.F.
"Mixed" Classes—Started 14.55
Colleen; 17.03.28 (1) (Mr. E. D. A. Staunton).

Wildgeon (Miss H. Crawhall-Wilson).
Nannette, D.N.F.

Sirius (Mr. W. O'Grady).
Zephyr (Capt. E. R. Newman).

Gael, D.N.F.

ROYAL HONG KONG GOLF CLUB

Ladies Section

Result of L.G.U. Monthly Medal Competition held at Fanling on Tuesday, 9th February:—
Silver Division

Old Course:
Mrs. Garnett 94—17=77

2nd Score:
Mrs. McGowan 96—14=82

Bronze Division

New Course:
Mrs. Ellerby 113—31=82

2nd Score:
Mrs. S. D. Reid 106—22=84

New Home For Elgin Marbles

Red brick walls are slowly rising alongside the west wall of the British Museum, where workmen are building the new Elgin Gallery, the gift of Lord Dufferin. It will be the new home of the Elgin marbles.

The new building is parallel with the present Elgin room. When it is completed the dividing wall will be demolished.

An oblong hall of great dimensions will contain the Parthenon frieze, set against the walls at the same level as at present. Two square rooms opening out of the hall at either end will house the pediments and the metopes, which will be set at the same height.

The wall covering will probably be of stone and the floors of marble mosaic.

One of the architects, Mr. John Russell Pope, has also collaborated in the new Duveen sculpture halls at the Tate Gallery. It is hoped that the Elgin Gallery will be completed in 1938.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Although the market kept steady during the day, trading was on rather a restricted scale.

The Manila market opened with an improvement on the previous days' quotations closing on the quiet side, although prices were fairly well maintained.

BUYERS

H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.) £114.
Providents (old), \$1.70.
Raubus, \$13.10.
H. K. Lands, \$30.
H. K. Realities, \$4.70.
H. K. Trams, \$134.
Peak Trams (old), \$4.
Peak Trams (new), \$1.
China Lights (old), \$13.80.
China Lights (new), \$10.80.
H. K. Electrics, \$55.
Cements \$10.95.
Dairy Farms, \$22.90.
Watsons \$4.
Ewo Cottons, \$15.80.
S'hai Cottons (old), \$8.98.
S'hai Cottons (new), \$8.68.
Constructions (new), 40 cts.

SELLERS

H. K. Wharves, \$108.
H. K. Hotels, \$54.
Humphreys, \$94.
Star Ferries, \$85.
Wallace Harpers, \$4.

SALES

H. K. Hotels, \$54.
H. K. Lands, \$30.
Star Ferries, \$85.
China Lights (old), \$13.80.
H. K. Electrics, \$55.
Telephones (old), \$30.
Telephones (new), \$114.
Cements, \$11.
H. K. Ropes, \$31.
Dairy Farms, \$23.
Demonstrations, \$1.53/1.54.
B Mindanso, 84 cts.
Hogons \$2.72.
San Maurizio, \$4.90.

Aeroplanes For Scots Lifesaving

Would Scour Seas Better Than Boats

A demand for the reorganisation of the life-saving system in the North of Scotland is expected to follow controversy in the Orkney Islands over the loss of 30 lives in the recent Johanna Thorden disaster.

It is revealed that while the Finnish vessel's two lifeboats were drifting in the storm on January 12 the daily air services were plying as usual between Inverness and Kirkwall, Thurso and Stromness, and between Kirkwall and the local Orkney Islands.

One machine and a pilot were available at Kirkwall airport for any special duty, but not until darkness had set in did it become known to the air companies operating locally that a ship had gone ashore 10 hours earlier with 38 people on board.

No person in Orkney was armed with authority to order a plane search of the sea west of the wreck area. It is stated that the air companies themselves would have instituted a search had they known of the disaster.

It is pointed out that a lifeboat might be within half a mile of a drifting small boat and not find it owing to the high seas limiting the horizon.

Lifeboats Useless

An aeroplane search would have covered the whole area in one hour, and the pilot would have been able to direct shore authorities by radio and thereby provide a bearing to be communicated to the lifeboat before it set out for the area or to be signalled to it from the shore in the usual way if it was already at sea.

Lifeboats, it is declared, are useless for searching unless they know where to search.

On a false alarm five days after the Johanna Thorden disaster an aeroplane search was speedily ordered by the Wick District Office of Coastguards, and one hour of flying resulted in much more than the suspected area being covered in a severe gale which would have badly hampered a lifeboat.

As the telephone line linking Orkney with Wick frequently goes out of action by storms, it is contended that some one in Orkney itself should be armed with authority to order an aeroplane search.

Criticism is being made that even without the aid of aircraft the sea east of Orkney was not

State Performance At The Opera?

A command gala performance at Covent Garden is, I hear, likely to take place at the time of the Coronation, writes a Home correspondent. An event of this kind has not occurred since the war.

I cannot imagine anything more likely to impress our guests from the Dominions, especially as there is more than a possibility that Signor Gligi will be singing at the Royal Opera this summer.

To a State performance the King and Queen drive with an escort of Household Cavalry. They are received by the high officials of the Court, and the Royal box occupies the centre of the grand tier.

Except for the gallery and amphitheatre, tickets are, I believe, in the hands of the Lord Chamberlain. His department, in fact, becomes the box-office for the occasion.

There is, however, little room for the normal opera-going public. The interior of the house is entirely rearranged and specially decorated.

In addition to the boxes set apart for the members of the Royal family, others have to be ear-marked for members of the Cabinet and of the Diplomatic Corps.

Command performances were frequent in the reign of King Edward VII., who was himself a sedulous opera-goer.

The last was in 1908, when President Fallieres paid a State visit to London. In his honour the programme was a French one. It consisted of the first act of Bizet's "T. Pescatore di Perle" and the second act of "Faust."

Acts of different operas are traditionally chosen for command performances. When one was given for the King and Queen of Denmark in 1905 the bill was "Butterfly," Act I; "Bohème," Act I.; and "Mefistofele," Act III.

Those who remember these extraordinary functions agree on the scene presented by the auditorium. The lights, incidentally, were not lowered during the performance.

WHAT DID HAPPEN
"What actually happened was that the Duke of Windsor asked me if I might allow him to read the lesson. I saw no reason why he should not. My superior asked me to supply, afterwards, information on how this had taken place. I supplied that information."

"Fa" from rebuking me, I received a communication from him stating that if the Duke at any other time made a similar request it should be granted.

"My superior in all these matters is the Bishop of Fulham, the Right Rev. Basil S. Batty, has charge of the chaplaincies of North and Central Europe.

Telephone Talks
"But while she was at Hove she was kept constantly in touch by telephone with the developments of the situation in China, and she awaited with anxiety the time when she could return. She twice altered the date on which she proposed to sail."

"Her son daughter will remain in England to complete their education."

Mme. Chang's address in Hove was kept secret. All communications were forwarded through the Chinese Embassy in London.

Shrapnel In Lung Since The War
A piece of metal similar to a bolt head, which had been removed from a man's lung at a post-mortem, was produced at a Stockport inquest recently.

The coroner (Mr. J. A. K. Ferns) said that it could be inferred that the metal entered the man's body through a wound he received in the chest in France in 1918. The War was drawing to its end, and it appeared that the enemy were putting in their shells any old metal which they could find.

"It is a terrible example of what war can produce when a man is walking about with things like this in his body," he added.

The cause of death, stated Dr. K. Nightingale, was haemorrhage and pulmonary tuberculosis. It was reasonable to infer that the tuberculosis was caused by the piece of metal.

The inquest was on James Walter Seddon, aged 43, of Jersey Road, South Redhill, Stockport, and a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence was recorded.

searched, the Wick, Thurso, and Longhope lifeboats concentrating on the Pentland Firth itself.

Members of the Jewish religion are forbidden to carry walking sticks on the Jewish Sabbath—Saturday.

Alexander Ketchinoff, aged 76, of Great Alle-street, Whitechapel, despite the fact that he was lame, went on the evening of January 1 to a synagogue without his walking stick. While passing a public house he fell down an open cellar and received injuries from which he died in St. Peter's Hospital.

At the inquest at Poplar when a verdict of accidental death was returned, it was stated that Jews were not allowed to carry anything on their Sabbath.

BRITISH COAL SUBSIDY
London, Feb. 9.
The question whether legislation should be introduced to provide a subsidy from national funds for assisting British coal sold in foreign markets is still under consideration by the Government in consultation with representatives of the coal industry, according to a Parliamentary answer.

British Wireless.

ARGENTINE LOAN IN NEW YORK
Buenos Aires, Feb. 10.
The Argentine Government has arranged a loan in New York for a nominal total of \$70,000,000 at four per cent interest, to be issued at 91. The proceeds of the loan will be devoted to the conversion of the Argentine's external debt.

Reuter.

ITALIAN BATTLESHIPS ASSIST INSURGENT FLEET

Valencia Cabinet's Allegations

One Of The Causes Leading To Fall Of Malaga

Valencia, February 10. The Spanish Cabinet in a statement unanimously allege that one of the main causes of the fall of Malaga was the co-operation of Italian battleships with the insurgent fleet.

It is asserted by the Cabinet that on the eve of the battle for Malaga two Italian battleships appeared off the coast and manoeuvred so as to prevent the Government warships reaching Malaga from Cartagena.—Reuter.

VISITOR'S ACCOUNT

Algeiras, Feb. 9. The situation in war-torn Malaga after the intensive bombardment by rebel guns was today described by the first Englishman to enter the city after its capture by General del Lano's Legionnaires and Moors and volunteers. The whole of the interior of the Cathedral was destroyed, and all churches and chapels were demolished. So were the villas belonging to Nationalists.

The Duke of Seville has been temporarily appointed military governor of Malaga.

Many cases of smallpox and other diseases are reported from the city. It is understood that 5,000 refugees who left Malaga before the fighting commenced in that area are anxious to return, in spite of the danger of epidemics, to seek out their families and friends. They may request the British naval authorities at Gibraltar to lend them a warship to transport them to the ravaged city.

COMMUNISTS ESCAPE

There is no confirmation of the stories of massacres on either side, though yesterday it was being said that the retreating Lefists had slaughtered people whose sympathies were with the other side. Likewise, it was said of General del Lano that when he heard of the mass murders of Rightists in Malaga he had his prisoners court-martialled and shot all Marxists.

The Communist leaders of Malaga, whom General del Lano was so anxious to capture, escaped by sea. They sailed in the direction of Valencia before the city fell, taking with them over 52,000,000 pesetas.—Reuter.

NATIONALIST FLEET RAID

Gibraltar, Feb. 8. Spanish nationalist warships according to reports received here seized three merchantmen off Malaga and moreover torpedoed the Red state which was attempting to bring provisions to Valencia. After the fall of Malaga, the nationalist fleet carried out a raid against the Red coast, bombarding the towns of Melilla and Almeria. The bombardment, it is stated, considerably impeded the retreat of the Red forces which are retreating along the coast after evacuation of Malaga. Nationalist quarters here point out that with the cutting of the main line of communication between Madrid and Valencia at a point 18 kilometres southeast of the capital practically the only line of retreat now left to the Madrid Reds is the road to Guadalajara since the road to Cuenca is in rather poor condition and hardly suitable for movements of large bodies of troops.—Transocean News Service.

MADRID CHIEF OPTIMISTIC

Madrid, Feb. 8. General Miaja, defender of Madrid, received a number of newspaper correspondents on Tuesday and gave them his opinion on the military situation created by the advance of National forces to the south-east of Madrid. General Miaja took an optimistic view and said that even if the National forces cut off direct communication with Valencia, this would not mean the investment of Madrid as other roads to the eastward were still open.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.



Today is the Centenary of the death of Alexander Pushkin, who occupies one of the highest positions in Russian literature. He was educated at the lyceum at Tsarskoye-Selo, and was early noted for his mastery of languages and his wide reading. His first poems were published when he was fifteen. He was wounded in a duel and died two days later at the age of 38.

EASY WIN FOR ENGLAND

Wales Outclassed At Port-mouth

England, with five new players in their team, beat Wales by 9-1 at Portsmouth yesterday in the first amateur international match of the season, writes a Home correspondent. The strong England half-back line completely mastered the Welsh attack, while the new English forwards—Sowerby, Matthews, and Riley—proved too fast and clever for the experimental Welsh defence, in which L. Ford and Williams, the Oxford University captain, alone justified their selection.

In a fast first half Riley and Sowerby quickly gave England the lead, and Matthews and Riley added two more goals before Leahy replied for Wales. In the second half the victors' forwards and half-backs continued well to dominate the play, and in the closing half-hour Sowerby (2), Parr, Thornton, and Riley obtained five goals for England. Considering the waterlogged state of the pitch the English forward play reached a high standard, and a feature of the game, never so one-sided as the score indicates, was the clever combined movements of Sowerby, Matthews, and Riley, the newcomers in the attack. The other two new men, Wetton and Shields, also did well in a well-balanced eleven, which from start to finish played impressively. The England team to meet Ireland on February 13 will be chosen in London on February 1.

COUNTRY CUP UPSETS

On the heavy ground there was some remarkable scoring in the County Cup ties. Walthamstow Avenue, the Essex Cup holders, defeated Jurgens by 13-0. Dulwich Hamlet won their Surrey Cup game with Walton-on-Thames by a similar margin; Carshalton Athletic, with seven goals, and Sutton United and Southall with six each, being the next highest scorers. Wimbledon, the Surrey Cup holders, were beaten at home by Kingstonian, who, after conceding an early goal, recovered and gained a deserved 2-1 victory. Letchworth Town, the Herts Cup holders, were also defeated at home, their conquerors, Aspley, winning by 3-1, thanks to their superior forward play. In the London League, the 4-1 victory of Grays Athletic over Epsom gained them top place in that table.

DRAWING OF STATE LOTTERY

Ticket No. 033150 Wins The \$250,000 Prize

Ticket No. 033150 won the first prize of \$250,000 in the 31st drawing of the State Lottery held at the Casino de Shanghai, before a crowd of several hundred spectators. The winning number was drawn about ten minutes after the huge drums were set rolling at 2 p.m. The second prizes were won by Nos. 041646, 119719, 294138 and 071605.

All the prizes may be collected from the Government banks within six months beginning February 13.

BRITISH TRADE WITH AMERICA

Mr. Walter Runciman Questioned

London, Feb. 9. Questioned in the House of Commons concerning the prospect of an Anglo-American trade agreement, Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, and just back from conversations with President F. D. Roosevelt in Washington, made no promises today. He said that he had had many opportunities for informal exchanges of views with President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, on subjects of common interest.

It was not intended that he should conduct negotiations with the American Government on any subject, when he left London last month, he said. Nevertheless, he had several useful conversations on trade matters while in Washington, from which it appeared that further exploration would be necessary before it could be determined whether or not there was a firm basis upon which detailed negotiations for a reciprocal trade agreement could take place.

Mr. Runciman expressed his gratitude to President Roosevelt and members of the American Government for their friendly reception. He hoped, he said, that the result of the conversations would be the facilitating of economic co-operation between the United States and Great Britain.—Reuter.

Belgian Chamber Up-ur

Heated Scenes Lead To Exchange Of Blows

Brussels, Feb. 8. Heated scenes leading up to exchange of blows between socialist deputies on the one hand and Flemish nationalists and Rightists on the other, occurred in the Belgian Chamber on Tuesday afternoon. The immediate cause of the fray was the refusal of the Chamber's president, Huismans, to say what was the object of his recent visit to Red Spain. Some forty deputies became involved in an angry tussle in the course of which big leather-bound law books were hurled down from the gangway from above the scene of the fray. One Flemish deputy was badly hurt and had to be carried out. When it was found impossible to restore order the session was suspended and the gallery cleared. Later on it was agreed to bring the matter up again on Wednesday during the course of a debate on foreign office estimates.—Transocean News Service.

Non-Intervention Committee

London, Feb. 8. The sub-committee of the non-intervention committee has been convened for Wednesday afternoon.—Transocean News Service.

Man Goes To Treasury For 10 Per Cent Of \$20,000,000

Albert Lee, aged 34, of Liverpool, who, while talking to an official at the Treasury recently, is alleged to have seized papers and other office equipment and thrown them through the window, was remanded at Bow-street.

He was charged before Sir Rollo Graham Campbell with wilful damage of six panes of glass. He was remanded after making a remarkable statement. The magistrate said he wanted a medical report.

A police-sergeant said he was in Whitehall when he saw a tray, an ink-pot, and a number of pens come from one of the windows of the Treasury. He entered and saw Lee detained by one of the officials.

He said he had a grievance against the Government "some idea apparently in connection with anti-air raid defence."

"WORKING WITH GERMANS"

When the magistrate asked Lee if he had anything to say, Lee replied:

"About four years ago I started work in a factory, and I wrote to Mr. MacDonald and told him that I was working with a lot of Germans as an engineer."

"Mr. MacDonald sent a man round to see me, an inspector, I think."

"For two years nothing happened, so I wrote to Mr. Lloyd George. The the Bishop of Liverpool wrote an article showing what

would happen if German airplanes came over here.

"So I wrote to the Bishop of Liverpool."

"I summarised the Bishop of Liverpool posted my letter to Mr. Baldwin, and I summarised further that Mr. Baldwin retired."

"Anyway, he went on vacation for three days. When he came back, he came out with a proposal for \$20,000,000 for aerial defence."

"I wrote claiming ten per cent commission. I think I started that war work."

"I have written to various members of the Cabinet. I wrote to my mother's Member of Parliament, and he said he would give the matter his attention. He did not do anything."

"Mr. Lloyd George answered my letter, saying that he would do what he could, but nothing came of it."

"I went to the Defence Office. They told me to go to the Treasury. They were very nice about it, but nobody knew anything. I was a shuttlecock one to the other. I got rather wild."

"I called at Downing-street, and they told me to write. I then went to the Treasury to say that I had come round to settle the matter up. I had got fed up with the whole business."

Lee concluded by saying that it was only Mr. Baldwin whom he could actually call as a witness to prove to the magistrate that what he had said was correct.



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EDEN AND BECK AT MONTE CARLO

Speculation In Polish Political Circles

Warsaw, Feb. 8. Political circles in the Polish capital are inclined to see importance in the fact that the British Foreign Minister, Mr. Anthony Eden, is staying in the same hotel in Monte Carlo as the Polish Foreign Minister, Colonel Beck. Although it has been stated with some authority that this is coincidence arising out of the fact that both Ministers are spending a short holiday on the Riviera, the belief persists that the opportunity thus created will be used for conducting informal political talks on matters affecting both countries. Additional credence is given to this assumption by reason of the fact that the Polish envoy in London twice called on Mr. Eden prior to the British Foreign Secretary's departure. It is said that these talks had reference to the Danzig.—Transocean News Service.

TRAMWAY WORKERS RESUME WORK

Heed Advice Of Chinese Government

Shanghai, Feb. 8. The tramway service was resumed this morning. The company promised to consider the strikers' demands on Monday. It is understood that the men decided to return to work on the advice of Chinese authorities.—Reuter.



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Grand Old Rebel

Mrs. Despard Plans To Visit Russia

Although nowadays not much is heard of Mrs. Charlotte Despard, sister of the late Lord Ypres, she still remains the "grand old rebel." Despite the fact that the veteran fighter for women's rights and for the cause of Ireland is 83, she is contemplating a visit to Russia! Seven years ago she made an inspection tour of U.S.S.R. institutions, and was delightedly impressed by much that she saw in the "Land of Comrades." And now, according to a letter from her Irish home, which is being broadcast from Moscow with pride, she has intimated her intention of revisiting the Soviet Union some time in 1937.

AIR LINER FALLS INTO SEA

San Francisco, Feb. 10. An air liner has fallen into San Francisco Bay. The fate of the occupants, eight passengers and three members of the crew, as yet unknown.—Reuter.

AID TO OXFORD UNIVERSITY

London, Feb. 9. Oxford University has already received over \$250,000 towards the appeal for \$1,000,000 made yesterday. The Rhodes Scholarship Trustees have promised \$100,000 to increase the facilities for research at the University, this sum to be available for Rhodes Scholars.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

Imitation Of Trade Marks

Protests To China

In the House of Commons on January 25.

Mr. Chorlton (C.—Bury) asked whether the Government would take steps to prevent the imitation by the Chinese of British trade marks registered in China, a practice which was causing dissatisfaction to British firms trading in that country.

Lord Cranborne (C.—Under, Foreign Secretary) said that the matter would continue to receive close attention and all possible steps would continue to be taken to protect the interests of British firms.

Mr. Chorlton further inquired whether representations would be made to the Chinese Government that the Chinese law on trade marks should be so interpreted and amended as to prevent deception.

Lord Cranborne said the question of trade-mark registration in China had from the beginning been given careful consideration. Frequent representations in the interests of British firms were made by his Majesty's Ambassador before the Chinese trade-mark law actually came into operation, and last July the attention of the competent department of the Chinese Government was again drawn to the particular point raised.

Mr. Chorlton: With what results?

Lord Cranborne: I have not heard of any further developments, but I will make inquiries.

SIR HAROLD BOWDEN ORDERS A YACHT

Sir Harold Bowden has ordered a steel, Diesel-engined yacht of 500 tons (Thames displacement) from Camper and Nicholson, Limited, of Southampton.

The engines will give a speed of 12½ knots.

CRUISER TO VISIT LONELIEST ISLANDS

H.M.S. Carlisle's Mission

The cruiser Carlisle, which was the flagship of Vice-Admiral F. L. Tottenham, Commander-in-Chief of the Africa station until the arrival of H.M.S. Amphion recently, is to visit Tristan da Cunha during February and March. The Carlisle will leave Simonstown on February 23 and arrive at Tristan da Cunha on February 28, leaving again on March 3.

The Carlisle will carry to Tristan da Cunha mails for the islanders—who now number about 180 and are ruled without any written laws, by Frances Repetto, the "uncrowned queen"—and also stores supplied by the Tristan da Cunha fund through the generosity of the public.

These stores comprise flour and other foodstuffs, boats, paint, canvas, cordage, and all manner of other items which are necessary to the lives of the islanders. Perhaps the most important item of stores is fishing tackle, of which there is believed to be considerable shortage.

No regular steamship line calls at the lonely islands in the South Atlantic, midway between South Africa and South America, and the inhabitants are dependent for mails and stores on casual visits of ships. On one occasion they were without communication from the outside world for more than two years.

The last warship to visit Tristan da Cunha was a Dutch submarine, which called at the islands last year. Curiously enough, the last British warship to visit the islands was H.M.S. Carlisle several years ago.

Sir Harold owns the auxiliary schooner Maid Marion (225 tons), which was built by Camper and Nicholson in 1908.

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were recorded at the Valley training gallops yesterday:

| | Dis- tance | 1st Qr. | 2nd Qr. | 3rd Qr. | 4th Qr. | 5th Qr. | 6th Qr. | Last Qr. |
|---|---------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Diana Bay (O)..... | 1 | 43 | 1.28 | 2.06.2 | 2.38.2 | | | 32 |
| Tim (G)..... | 1 | 37 | 1.12 | 1.43.2 | 2.14.3 | 2.48 | | 33.2 |
| Gladiator (O)..... | 1 | 34 | 1.05 | 1.37 | 2.08 | | | 31.3 |
| Home Brew (A)..... | 1 | 32 | 1.03 | 1.32 | 1.59 | | | 27 |
| Soldier of China (O)..... | 1 | 34.3 | 1.08.2 | 1.39.4 | 2.10 | | | 30.1 |
| Katinka (A)..... | 1 | 43.1 | 1.21 | 1.58.1 | 2.31 | 3.01 | | 28 |
| Ranger (O)..... | 1 | 28 | 56.1 | 1.24.1 | | | | 30.2 |
| Pagan Love (S)..... | 1 | 44 | 1.24.1 | 1.54.3 | | | | |
| Spring Beauty (S)..... | 1 | 40.4 | 1.20.1 | 1.55.3 | 2.27.3 | | | 32 |
| Donovan (O) & Potentate (G)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.12 | 1.45 | 2.14.4 | | | 29.4 |
| Boronia Belle (A)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.11.1 | 1.43.2 | 2.11.2 | 2.38.4 | 3.10 | 31.1 |
| Rosalind (A)..... | 1 | 29 | 56.4 | 1.27.4 | | | | 32 |
| Miracle (O)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.13 | 1.45.2 | 2.17 | | | 31.3 |
| Ocean View (O)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.13 | 1.45.2 | 2.17 | | | |
| Liaison (A)..... | 1 | 34.3 | 1.07 | 1.39.3 | | | | 32.2 |
| Noggin (A)..... | 1 | 46 | 1.22 | 1.55 | 2.22.2 | | | 27.2 |
| Centre Court (O)..... | 1 | 31.2 | 1.03 | 1.34.4 | 2.04.1 | | | 29.2 |
| Plain View & Harvest View (O)..... | 1 | 32.3 | 1.01 | 1.38.3 | 2.13 | | | 34.2 |
| Mayflower (O)..... | 1 | 43.1 | 1.19.1 | 1.55 | 2.28.2 | | | 33.2 |
| Burgomaster (O)..... | 1 | 41 | 1.22 | 2.02 | 2.37 | | | 35 |
| Sylvanide (O)..... | 1 | 40.1 | 1.15 | 1.48 | 2.19.3 | | | 31.3 |
| Flybynight (O)..... | 1 | 35.4 | 1.10.4 | 1.43.1 | 2.17 | 2.51.2 | | 34.2 |
| Weedon Seat (S)..... | 1 | 34.4 | 1.08.3 | 1.41.3 | | | | 33 |
| Firefly (G)..... | 1 | 34.4 | 1.10.4 | 1.43.1 | 2.17 | 2.51.2 | | 34.2 |
| A Right Time (A)..... | 1 | 31 | 1.00 | 1.29 | | | | 29 |
| Ding Dong (S)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.15.3 | 1.50.2 | | | | 34.4 |
| Lovely Star (G)..... | 1 | 37 | 1.15.1 | 1.50.2 | 2.24.3 | 2.58.1 | | 31.3 |
| Australian Boy (O)..... | 1 | 48 | 1.31 | 2.12 | 2.54 | 3.33 | | 39 |
| Old Star (O)..... | 1 | 37.3 | 1.14.4 | 1.50.4 | 2.25 | 2.56.3 | | 31.3 |
| Naughty Cat, Peak View & Persian Cat (S)..... | 1 | 36.4 | 1.11 | 1.45 | 2.19 | | | 34 |
| Bransholme (A)..... | 1 | 38.4 | 1.12.4 | 1.46 | 2.14.3 | | | 28.3 |
| Gold Sovereign (O)..... | 1 | 39 | 1.14 | 1.48 | 2.19.3 | | | 31.3 |
| Happy Venture, Dragon Fly & March Brown (S)..... | 1 | 37.1 | 1.13 | 1.45.3 | 2.20 | | | 34.2 |
| Herod (O)..... | 1 | 38.2 | 1.13.2 | 1.48.2 | 2.20.3 | | | 32.1 |
| Solera (A)..... | 1 | 42.2 | 1.17.3 | 1.52.1 | 2.21 | | | 28.4 |
| Hepman (O)..... | 1 | 34.3 | 1.11.4 | 1.48.2 | 2.17.3 | | | 31.1 |
| Viken Tor (O)..... | 1 | 36 | 1.07.4 | 1.38 | 2.06.1 | | | 28.1 |
| Copper Idol (O)..... | 1 | 42 | 1.27 | 2.03.4 | 2.35.3 | | | 31.4 |
| Bobnik Star (O)..... | 1 | 35.4 | 1.09.2 | 1.39 | 2.06.1 | | | 27.1 |
| Rob Roy & Expansion Time (G)..... | 1 | 39 | 1.15 | 1.55 | 2.28.4 | 2.58 | | 29.1 |
| Magnificent View (G)..... | 1 | 40.1 | 1.18.4 | 1.50.4 | 2.24.2 | | | 33.3 |
| Strathroy (O)..... | 1 | 28.1 | 55.3 | 1.23.1 | | | | 27.4 |
| Able Amazon (O)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.14.2 | 1.48 | 2.19 | 3.18.3 | | 31.3 |
| Havoc Eve (G)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.10 | 1.43.4 | 2.15 | 2.47 | | 34.1 |
| Declasse (S)..... | 1 | 32 | 1.03.2 | 1.37.3 | | | | 27.3 |
| Derby Day (O)..... | 1 | 30.3 | 1.03.1 | 1.32.3 | 2.00.1 | | | 30.2 |
| Vira (G)..... | 1 | 38.2 | 1.11 | 1.43 | 2.13.2 | | | 30.1 |
| Bistre (O)..... | 1 | 38.1 | 1.11.1 | 1.42.2 | 2.12.3 | | | |
| Inca & Despair Bay (S)..... | 1 | 39 | 1.16 | 1.53 | 2.28.2 | 3.01.3 | | 33.1 |
| Rose Evelyn (O)..... | 1 | 45 | 1.24.2 | 2.02 | 2.35.2 | 3.05.2 | | 30 |
| Stratherrick (A)..... | 1 | 30.2 | 50.4 | 1.28 | 1.55 | | | 27 |
| Jungle Jim (O)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.13 | 1.46 | 2.17.4 | | | 31.4 |
| Bag Tor (O)..... | 1 | 41 | 1.17.1 | 1.52.2 | 2.30 | 2.57.2 | 3.25.1 | 27.4 |
| Elephant (S) & Stopwatch (O)..... | 1 | 46 | 1.26 | 2.03 | 2.38.2 | 3.10 | 3.42.3 | 32.3 |
| Honey (O)..... | 1 | 27 | 57.1 | 1.28 | | | | 30.4 |
| A Great Time (A)..... | 1 | 30.1 | 57.3 | 1.28.2 | | | | 28.4 |
| Double Finesse (A)..... | 1 | 25 | 51.3 | | | | | 25.3 |
| Happy Eve (G)..... | 1 | 31.4 | 1.03.4 | 1.34 | 2.03.3 | | | 29.3 |
| Cavalcade & Racing Boy (O)..... | 1 | 37.3 | 1.15.3 | 1.47.4 | 2.20 | | | 32.1 |
| Aplis (G) & Shipmaster (S)..... | 1 | 35 | 1.10 | 1.44 | 2.18.2 | 2.52.1 | | 33.4 |
| Petroushka (A)..... | 1 | 37 | 1.10 | 1.40 | 2.08 | | | 28 |
| Scenic View (G)..... | 1 | 38.3 | 1.11 | 1.43.2 | 2.14.3 | | | 31.1 |
| New Star (O)..... | 1 | 42 | 1.25.2 | 1.59 | 2.29.3 | | | 30.3 |
| Commeceement Bay & Red Feather (G)..... | 1 | 40 | 1.17 | 1.52.2 | 2.28.2 | 2.56.4 | | 30.2 |
| Tempest (S) & Monoplane (O)..... | 1 | 36.3 | 1.11 | 1.44.1 | 2.15.4 | | | 31.3 |
| Tze Tin & Feudal Knight (S)..... | 1 | 40 | 1.18.3 | 1.52 | 2.23.4 | | | 31.4 |
| Prospero & Whiskey (S)..... | 1 | 44.3 | 1.22.2 | 2.00.4 | 2.36.3 | 3.10 | 3.42 | 32 |
| Yum Sing (S) & Chumteen (S)..... | 1 | 37.2 | 1.15.4 | 1.51 | 2.25 | 2.57 | | 32 |
| Wh of Sept. (O)..... | 1 | 37.3 | 1.12 | 1.43.3 | 2.17 | | | 33.2 |
| Gordito (S) & Popular Star (O)..... | 1 | 37.2 | 1.12.1 | 1.47.2 | 2.20 | | | 32.3 |
| Kum Shan (G)..... | 1 | 33.2 | 1.07.3 | 1.39.3 | | | | 32 |
| Gold Coin (O)..... | 1 | 36.3 | 1.10.3 | 1.44 | 2.18 | | | 32 |
| Twilight Star (A)..... | 1 | 39 | 1.17.3 | 1.51 | 2.20.2 | | | 33.1 |
| Arazay (S)..... | 1 | 40 | 1.20.2 | 1.57.1 | 2.30.4 | 3.04 | | 33.3 |
| Fetlar (S)..... | 1 | 40.3 | 1.20.2 | 1.58.4 | 2.29.4 | 3.03.2 | | 30.3 |
| Royal Mail (G)..... | 1 | 35.2 | 1.08 | 1.38.3 | | | | |
| Centre Forward (G)..... | 1 | 38.3 | 1.17.2 | 1.52 | 2.25.1 | 2.56 | | 30.4 |
| Coronation Day & Flying Arrow (S)..... | 1 | 39 | 1.18 | 1.50 | 2.20.4 | | | 30.4 |
| Bouldnor, Malolo & Mariposa (S)..... | 1 | 50 | 1.30.1 | 2.04.4 | 2.37.1 | | | 32.2 |
| Radium (S)..... | 1 | 41 | 1.18 | 1.53.1 | 2.25.3 | | | 32.2 |
| National Faith & Lancashire Tich (S)..... | 1 | 40 | 1.14.3 | 1.50 | 2.22.3 | | | 32.3 |
| Mac's Adventure & The Baboon (S)..... | 1 | 35.3 | 1.09 | 1.41 | | | | 32 |
| Courting Eve (A)..... | 1 | 35.2 | 1.07.2 | 1.35.4 | | | | 28.2 |
| Honey Moon Eve (O)..... | 1 | 38 | 1.15.4 | 1.54.2 | 2.24.3 | | | 30.1 |
| Clowner (S)..... | 1 | 38.2 | 1.10.2 | 1.43.1 | | | | 32.4 |
| Such Fun (A)..... | 1 | 35 | 1.09 | 1.41.4 | 2.13 | | | 31.1 |
| Aramis (S)..... | 1 | 32.4 | 1.06.1 | 1.40.2 | | | | 28.3 |
| Lazilli (A)..... | 1 | 47 | 1.24.4 | 1.57.2 | 2.26 | | | 32.3 |
| Busok (S)..... | 1 | 39.4 | 1.17 | 1.49.3 | | | | |
| Rose Lafayette (A)..... | 1 | 33.1 | 1.04 | 1.36 | | | | 32 |
| Barometer, National Anthem & National Wisdom (S)..... | 1 | 41.1 | 1.18.2 | 1.53.3 | 2.27.2 | | | 33.4 |

STARTING TIMES

For Fanling Thursday

OLD COURSE

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| 9.20 a.m.—S. H. Dodwell and N. L. Smith. | |
| 9.24 a.m.—J. Forbes and I. H. Geare. | |
| 9.28 a.m.—D. L. Newbigging and J. K. Bousfield. | |
| 9.32 a.m.—D. S. Robb and K. K. Rounds. | |
| 9.36 a.m.—D. Cutbertson and N. Garland. | |
| 9.40 a.m.—B. D. Evans and T. R. Rowell. | |
| 9.44 a.m.—T. R. Chassels and N. K. Littlejohn. | |
| 9.48 a.m.—W. E. Hunt and T. Lindars. | |
| 9.52 a.m.—F. Austin and C. Clarke. | |
| 9.56 a.m.—D. J. Keogh and J. W. Mayhew. | |
| 10.00 a.m.—D. MacAllister and W. Keith Robinson. | |
| 10.04 a.m.—D. J. Keogh and J. C. Dunbar. | |
| 10.08 a.m.—P. Morrison and P. L. Leefe. | |
| 10.12 a.m.—K. F. Noble and C. M. Gee. | |
| 10.16 a.m.—T. S. Whyte-Smith and H. U. Ireland. | |
| 10.20 a.m.—J. A. Cooper and R. Young. | |
| 10.24 a.m.—W. N. A. Smalley and R. K. Collings. | |
| 10.28 a.m.—H. H. Pethick and C. E. Sandstrom. | |
| 10.32 a.m.—Capt. Cragg and O. E. C. Marton. | |
| 10.36 a.m.—W. Hewitt and E. A. R. Newton. | |
| 10.40 a.m.—B. B. Anthony and R. Sanger. | |
| 10.44 a.m.—A. V. Greaves and W. M. Barton. | |
| 10.48 a.m.—H. N. Williamson and J. Angwin. | |
| 10.52 a.m.—J. G. Campbell and C. Mycock. | |
| 10.56 a.m.—Major Hogg and D. L. Prophet. | |
| 11.28 a.m.—R. Hancock and G. A. Pentreath. | |

NEW COURSE

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| 9.24 a.m.—P. H. Suckling and J. C. Finch. | |
| 9.32 a.m.—A. E. and Mrs. Lissaman. | |
| 9.40 a.m.—G. C. Worrall and L. M. S. Lloyd. | |
| 9.48 a.m.—Mrs. Sommers and Mrs. Crapnell. | |
| 9.56 a.m.—E. C. Norr's and L. Landsbert. | |
| 10.04 a.m.—Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Mayhew. | |
| 10.12 a.m.—Mrs. Garland and Mrs. Cuthbertson. | |
| 10.20 a.m.—D. J. and Mrs. Gilmore. | |
| 10.28 a.m.—Mrs. Smalley and Mrs. Collings. | |
| 10.36 a.m.—H. F. Sommers and F. H. Crapnell. | |
| 10.44 a.m.—J. S. Dunnett and A. M. Mack. | |
| 10.52 a.m.—A. C. and Mrs. Young. | |

FRIDAY

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| 9.20 a.m.—Comdr. Hole and R. K. Collings. | |
| 9.24 a.m.—A. D. Humphreys and H. H. Mundy. | |
| 9.28 a.m.—W. E. Hunt and T. Lindars. | |
| 9.32 a.m.—T. R. Chassels and J. A. D. Morrison. | |
| 9.36 a.m.—S. C. Feltham and A. W. Hodges. | |
| 9.40 a.m.—A. Murdoch and G. H. Gompertz. | |
| 9.44 a.m.—R. I. Cherrill and J. W. Griffe. | |
| 9.48 a.m.—J. L. Adams and N. M. Currie. | |
| 9.52 a.m.—S. H. Dodwell and P. A. Cox. | |
| 9.56 a.m.—G. T. May and R. C. Webb. | |
| 10.00 a.m.—W. L. Alexander and W. M. Barton. | |
| 10.04 a.m.—B. D. Evans and N. K. Littlejohn. | |
| 10.08 a.m.—A. C. Young and R. J. K. Walker. | |
| 10.12 a.m.—D. J. Gilmore and H. C. Hopkins. | |
| 10.16 a.m.—O. E. C. Marton and I. E. Geare. | |
| 10.20 a.m.—H. U. Ireland and R. Young. | |
| 10.24 a.m.—W. W. C. Shewan and D. Lyon. | |
| 10.28 a.m.—J. G. Campbell and J. Forbes. | |
| 10.32 a.m.—E. L. Groome and J. C. Dunbar. | |

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LADIES INTERPORT HOCKEY ENCOUNTER TO-MORROW AFTERNOON

Shanghai Determined To Win White Shield

EXCITING MATCH ON CLUB ENCLOSURE IS PROMISED

(BY R. H. B.)

In quest of the White Shield which has been retained by Hong Kong for the past two years, the Shanghai Ladies Interport hockey team are arriving here this evening aboard the Empress of Asia. The team comprises the Misses Laura Carlon, Barbara Dunlap, Frances Bomko, Evelyn Vical, Esther Bloomfield, Elsie Little, Pella Pettigrew, Lotti Schmidt, Mary Sheridan, Mary Williams, Debbie Bloomfield and Nora Kelly.

The team is stated to be a strong combination and therefore we may confidently expect a splendid interport match—the third of the series—to be played on the Hong Kong Football Club ground, Happy Valley, at 3.15 p.m. this afternoon. Before going further, the highest praise is due to the Hong Kong and Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association, respectively, for their courage, enterprise and determination. The year 1935 gave birth to the series which has done and will continue to do a great deal in the cementing of friendship with our visitors from the North and the furtherance of hockey in the Far East. From small beginnings, ladies' hockey has developed by leaps and bounds and its future popularity is most assured.

PRACTICE

The Shanghai Ladies will put in practice at King's Park this morning on the Club ground. The Colony team did well against the Rest on Tuesday afternoon but the forwards will have to be much faster on the mark when they are in the dees. Miss Olive Dalziel, the Colony right winger, is at present nursing an injured ankle but latest reports are that she will be able to play in this afternoon's important match.

COLONY CAPTAIN

Miss E. M. Gray has been elected Captain of the Hong Kong Ladies Interport hockey team while Miss B. M. Pope will captain the Rest of the Colony XI against Shanghai.

THE TEAMS

The Hong Kong team will therefore be:—Mrs. R. Rose; Miss E. M. Gray and Miss A. Fowler; Miss I. L. Woolley; Miss J. M. Wong and Miss K. Glover; Miss O. Dalziel; Miss F. Marsh; Mrs. Donald; Miss M. Smith and Miss M. Westcott. Shanghai's probable team will be:—Miss L. Carlon; Miss F. Bomko and Miss E. Vical; Miss E. Bloomfield; Miss E. Little; and Miss P. Pettigrew; Miss N. Kelly; Miss L. Schmidt; Miss M. Sheridan; Miss M. Williams and Miss Debbie Bloomfield.

Shanghai's reserve is Miss B. Dunlap and the Colony's reserves are Mrs. M. Burke, Mrs. P. M. Harrop, Miss Helen Bockler and Miss Joan Lakeman.

Y.M.C.A. ACTIVITIES

Sunday, February 14, Discussion Group in the West Lounge at 9 p.m. Subject "Experiments in Unity." Speaker, the Rev. F. Short. Monday, February 15, Y.M.C.A. Service Men's Whist Drive in West Lounge at 9 p.m. Thursday, February 18, Ladies' Night. Dinner at 7.30 p.m.; also Members' Mah Jong morning in the West Lounge from 9.45 to 11.45 a.m. Mondays and Thursdays Gym Class at 5.30 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays Badminton from 8.30 p.m.

Mamak Hockey Match

A Mamak Hockey tournament match in the "B" Division will be played at King's Park this morning at 10.30 when the Central British Association will meet the 24th Battery, Royal Artillery. The C.B.A. will be represented by the following:—J. J. King; T. S. D. Whitley and S. MacNider; R. Blyth, N. B. M. Whitley and E. Fowler; W. H. G. Hirst, S. Fowler, G. H. Fowler, V. C. Bond and D. T. Smith.

CRICKET MATCH

Press To Meet C.R.C.

The following will represent the Hong Kong Press in a cricket match against the Chinese Recreation Club at Causeway Bay on Saturday at 2 p.m.:—H. Ching, M. R. Abbas, A. T. Lee, J. R. Luke, C. E. Wong, A. M. Omar, H. Brokenshire (S. C. M. Post), F. M. ej. Archiball, A. R. Markar, (H. K. Daily Press), S. A. Gray and G. W. Giffen (H. K. Telegraph). Reserve:—C. Dragon (S. C. M. Post).

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ANNUAL RACE MEETING

Subscription Griffins Of The Season

By "Last Quarter"

Subscription griffins have in the past always provided the best sport at race meetings; with the ever present outsiders turning and paying substantial dividends to the few lucky ones. The ponies in this class which are to make their debut at the Annual Meeting are an exceedingly even lot and under the circumstances many a keen struggle should be witnessed.

PAGAN LOVE THE BEST?

To nominate the outstanding subscription griffins would be none too easy a task but at this time I have no hesitation in placing Pagan Love, Coronation Day, Chun Teen and Spring Beauty as amongst the best. Of these four, Pagan Love appeals to me most and may prove to be the likely champion. This pony has a 2.15 mile gallop to his credit, when the last half mile was covered in 1.02 and the last quarter in 30.3/5. A strong finish has featured the majority of Pagan Love's early morning track work and with Mr. F. Marshall in the saddle this cream should start as one of the favourites in the Valley Stakes on the opening day of the annual race meeting.

CORONATION DAY

This chestnut mare belonging to Dr. S.N. Chau was much coveted at the draw and has lived up to the confidence placed in her. The outstanding performance of this sub took place last Sunday when a mile and a quarter gallop was done in 2.50-2/5. The last quarter (34) was a trifle disappointing but it is noteworthy that the last mile was galloped in 2.14. Mr. Frost will ride Coronation Day at the meeting and the combination should be well supported.

Chun Teen, owned by Mr. Kwok Hin Wanz and to be ridden by Mr. Needa, was reputed to be "the sub" of the year but this black has since gone back a little on his form. Spring Beauty is a nice dun, 13.2 hands, the property of Mr. C. F. Chiu, the novice jockey, and under the able guidance of Mr. S. C. Liang should get a full share of the spoils.

Yum Sing with Mr. Donald Black up will carry the colours of Mr. M. T. Johnson, Chairman of the Stewards, and based on training gallops should win a race or two. Tabby Cat, Tempest and Prospero are also worth following, though I understand the former has only recently recovered from stiffness. Prospero is a good bet over the sprint distances and should be followed especially if the services of a strong jockey is secured. Gordito seems to take his work quite seriously and Mr. V.G. Sung can be counted on to get the best out of this big gun.

Chia Shan, Elephant, Araxy, Tze Tin, Aramis, Feltar, Radium

and Whalsey are probable starters in the Wong Nei Chong Stakes and should be closely watched. These subs have all done the half mile in fairly good time and the luck of the draw for positions at the starting gate will have to be considered. In my estimation the following appear to be the best of this year's subscription griffins: Pagan Love, Coronation Day, Chun Teen, Spring Beauty, Yum Sing, Tabby Cat, Tempest, Whalsey, Tze Tin, Gordito and Prospero.

OLD PONIES

The most interesting aspect as regards the old ponies is the persistent rumour around the paddock and rails that Liberty Bay is not quite up to the mark and may not start at the Annual Race Meeting. If this should prove to be the truth, the "China pony races" should result in some large fields with close finishes. King's Warden and Bear Claw are both their old selves and honours should be divided equally between them. Diana Bay, an ever popular favourite, will still have to be considered and nothing would give punters greater pleasure than to see this gallant old timer win a race or two. Soldier of Britain will prove dangerous in the sprint races.

King's Lead and Wild Life should do extremely well when out in their own class and I think that the former will annex the Chater Cup for Mr. Pearce. Wild Life looks a good thing for the Ladies Purse, a well sought after prize amongst the jockeys. As regards the "C" Class ponies; Boolat Bay, Harvest View, Jungle Jim and King's Jubilee will be near as these ponies have been doing their share of the morning workouts quite convincingly. Laughing Buddha, Gold Coin, Night View and Pride of Tsingtau appear to be the best in the "D" Class.

As regards the old subs, we should witness keen competition between Bistre, Wild Cat, Wadebridge and Rose Evelyn. Bistre, in my opinion, looks a fairly safe bet for the Garrison Cup while Wadebridge should account for the Royal Navy Cup, leaving the old rivals, Rose Evelyn and Wild Cat to fight out the issue in the Northern Stakes.

STARTING TIMES

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- 10.36 a.m.—A. Corrigan and P. L. Leele.
- 10.40 a.m.—J. A. Plummer and K. S. Morrison.
- 10.44 a.m.—A. Anderson and T. R. Rowell.
- 10.48 a.m.—Capt. Holmes and Maj. MacDonald.
- 10.52 a.m.—F. Morrison and R. R. Davies.
- 10.56 a.m.—A. M. Mach and F. A. M. Elliott.
- 11.00 a.m.—J. B. Mackie and Capt. Michell.
- 11.04 a.m.—E. Taylor and P. L. Collison.
- 11.08 a.m.—H. H. Pethick and J. W. Mayhew.
- 11.12 a.m.—K. K. Rounds and L. R. Cramer.
- 11.16 a.m.—J. H. McElney and C. Austin.
- 11.20 a.m.—K. F. Noble and R. Smith.
- 11.24 a.m.—F. A. Redmond and Major Withington.
- 11.28 a.m.—E. G. Smith Wright and Lt.-Cdr. Waymouth.
- NEW COURSE**
- 9.24 a.m.—H. and Mrs. Overy.
- 9.32 a.m.—A. E. and Mrs. Lissman.
- 9.40 a.m.—Capt. Douglas and G. A. Penbreath.
- 9.48 a.m.—Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Currie.
- 9.56 a.m.—Rear Admiral Sedgwick and Capt. Rushbrooke.
- 10.48 a.m.—Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. MacDonald.
- 10.56 a.m.—Mrs. Pethick and Mrs. Mayhew.

SATURDAY

OLD COURSE

- 9.20 a.m.—A. Murdoch and Blake.
- 9.24 a.m.—S. C. Feltham and D.

Long Memories Of Woodland Pychley

Twin sisters, who are aged between 50 and 60, were appointed to the joint mastership of one of the best-known packs of foxhounds in the country—the Woodland Pychley, in Northamptonshire.

They are Miss Violet and Miss May Wilson, of Brooke Priory, Brooke, near Oakham, Rutland, one of the historic houses of the neighbourhood, and their home for many years.

They take over their duties on May 1, when they will succeed the present master, Sir Julian Cahn, who has hunted these hounds since last year.

Among the famous masters whom the sisters will follow are Lord Lonsdale, Mr. Austin MacKenzie, Lord Southampton, and Mr. Walter de P. Cazenove.

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- 9.28 a.m.—S. H. Dodwell and A. W. Hughes.
- N.B. Trains as on week days only.

WEEK-END FOOTBALL PROGRAMME

On account of the visits of the Shanghai Interport team and the Eastern China eleven, League football in Hong Kong during the coming week-end will be curtailed. The following are the matches arranged:

SATURDAY

Second Division

Kowloon v. R.A. "B", Kowloon. 2.45 p.m.; Referee, Day.

Third Division

Liga v. Kwong Wah, Chatham Road, 2.45 p.m.; Referee, Gomes.

SUNDAY

First Division

St. Joseph's v. Navy, Causeway Bay, 4.15 p.m.; Referee, Chapman; Linesmen, Sheen and Morgan.

Second Division

Eastern v. Kowloon "C", Causeway Bay, 2.35 p.m.; Referee, Barton.

R.U.R. v. South China, Caroline Hill, 2.45 p.m.; Referee, Clark.

R.A. "L" v. Chinese A.A., Sookunpoo, 2.35 p.m.; Referee, Casson.

R.E. v. Navy, Chatham Road, 3.15 p.m.; Referee, Martin.

Third Division

Recreo v. Police "E", King's Park, 4.15 p.m.; Referee, Smith.

St. Joseph's v. Police "C", King's Park, 2.45 p.m.; Referee, Farr.

Kumaon Rifles v. R.A.F. Chatham Road, 2.45 p.m.; Referee, Gomes.

A review of the merits of the old Australian ponies will not be out of place. Strathroy can be safely backed over any distance and though I am eagerly looking forward to the probable meeting between this animal and Able Amazon in the Melbourne Cup on the second day, I believe Strathroy will triumph. Electron is also in excellent condition and will give the J.E.D. stable their share of the stakes money. Double Finesse appears to be in top form and will be a real danger over six furlongs. Ranger and Holiday Eve also stand out prominently.

Centre Court will make a reappearance in the "B" Class but will find opposition in Violet Queen and Perfect Day. Racing Heart, if ridden by Mr. Needa, will give a good account of himself.



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| Day of Week | Time | Day of Week | Time |
| Thur. 11 | 10:05 | Fri. 12 | 10:28 |
| Fri. 12 | 10:28 | Sat. 13 | 10:51 |
| Sat. 13 | 10:51 | Sun. 14 | 11:14 |
| Sun. 14 | 11:14 | Mon. 15 | 11:37 |
| Mon. 15 | 11:37 | Tues. 16 | 12:00 |
| Tues. 16 | 12:00 | Wed. 17 | 12:23 |

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER

Hong Kong Observatory, Feb. 10

| Previous On Date | | On Date | |
|------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| Day | at 4 p.m. | Day | at 4 p.m. |
| Barometer | 30.11 | 30.11 | 30.00 |
| Temperature | 61 | 65 | 67 |
| Humidity | 73 | 78 | 70 |
| Wind | Direction | E | E WNW |
| Force | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Weather | O | B | O |
| Rain | | | |

RARE STAMP DISCOVERY

Three rare British stamps have been discovered in a Hull solicitor's office. Ninety-seven years ago, soon after the adhesive stamp had come into use, a solicitor's clerk in Hull, apparently finding himself short of 1d. stamps, thought half a 2d. one would serve the purpose. The Post Office seems to have thought so too, for the letters were duly accepted and delivered. It may be that other cut stamps were used, but so far none has been discovered, and these three cut stamps are therefore the most rare of any British variety. There are only two or three other

REICHSMARK RATES

Berlin, Feb. 8.
Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee) are as follows:—
New York 40.235
Paris 86.4
Amsterdam (low) 73.44
Amsterdam (high) 73.48
London 12.171
Paris Sterling (low) 105.12
Paris Sterling (high) 105.15
U.S.A. Dollar (low) 21.475
U.S.A. Dollar (high) 21.478
Transocean News Service.

stamps in the world of which only three copies are known to exist.

Colonies Not To Be Used As Bribes

Mr. Runciman And World Trade

Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, who arrived in New York recently, referred at a Press interview to the proposals for the return of some of Germany's former colonies. Answering a question, he said, "If all the former German colonies were now under the flag of that nation it would not create a revolution in Germany's prosperity." When he was asked whether Britain was prepared to make concessions to aggressive nations to ensure economic pacification, he said, without directly referring to Germany, "That would certainly not be a correct interpretation of British foreign policy. "We are not going to make that the method by which we are going to conduct our foreign policy. We are not going to bribe anybody to leave us alone."

"You know well enough what it means to those who pay tribute—demands for more and more tribute. I do not think I shall go further than that."

BASIS OF SELLING
Emphasising British efforts to restore foreign trade, Mr. Runciman remarked, "We cannot embark on the sort of negotiations of six or seven years ago for trade financed on the London money market. We are ready to sell to whoever can buy, but there can be no selling without payment."

Mr. Runciman insisted that he did not expect anything in the nature of a trade agreement to result from his visit to the United States. On being asked whether he would discuss War Debts with President Roosevelt he replied, "I do not think it in the least likely."

He also declared that a world economic conference would be useless unless there were some real hope of achieving positive results. "Merely to hold the conference for the fun of holding it," he remarked, "is not contemplated in British policy."

HONG KONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS
Bank of East Asia, \$84.
Providents (Old), \$175.
Vens. Goldfields, \$74.
Hotels, \$5.55.
Land Debentures, \$102.
Ewos, \$151.
Wing On Textiles, \$43.
Trams, \$13.30.
Star Ferry, \$34.
Y. Ferries, \$24.
Lights (Old), \$131.
Electric, \$51.
Sing. Tractions, \$25/8.
Telephones (New), \$11.40.
Cements, \$10.85.
Ropes, \$31.
Entertainments, \$3.80.
Constructions (New), 48 cts.
Sincera, \$2.10.
Watsons, \$4.
Govt. 3 1/2 per cent. Loan, \$101.
Consol. Mines, .075 cts.
S. Mindanao, .61 cts.
Santa Rosa, .12 cts.
Suyoc, .81 cts.
United Paracale, \$2.

SELLERS
H.K. Docks, \$201.
Hotels, \$5.75.
Trams, \$13.50.
Electric, \$56.
Telephones (New), \$11.60.
Demonstrations, \$155.
Providents (Old), \$175.
Wing On Textiles, \$44.
Telephones (New), \$11.50.
Ropes, \$31.
On Lok Yuen, \$3.30.
S'hai Explorations, \$24.
S'hai Loans, \$31.
Consol. Mines, \$795/078.

SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices
H.B. JOSEPH & Co.
Hong Kong, Feb. 10.
Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following quotations from Singapore in Straits Currency for Raw Rubber:—
Buyers
Spot 35 1/2 down
March 38 down
April-June 38 1/2 down
July-September 38 1/2 down
Market: Easier.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

| | Feb. 8. | Feb. 9. |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Paris | 105-7/64 | 105 7/64 |
| Geneva | 21.42 | 21.44 |
| Berlin | 12.17 | 12.17 |
| Athens | | |
| Milan | 93 | 93 |
| Copenhagen | | |
| Stockholm | | |
| Shanghai | | |
| New York | 4.89-1/10 | 4.89 1/10 |
| Amsterdam | 8.94 | 8.94 |
| Vienna | | |
| Prague | 140 1/2 | |
| Madrid | | |
| Lisbon | | |
| Hong Kong | | |
| Bombay | | |
| Montreal | | |
| Brussels | 4.89 1/2 | 4.89 9/10 |
| Yokohama | 29.01 | 29.01 |
| Belgrade | | 1/1 80/64 |
| Monte Video | | |
| Belo | | |
| Bucharest | | |
| Silver (forward) | 20 | 20 |
| Silver (spot) | 31 1/2 104 1/2 | 31 1/2 103 1/2 |
| War Loan | | |

| Closing Quotations | | February 10, 1937. | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--|
| On LONDON:— | Telegraphic Transfer | 1 1/2 | |
| Bank Bills, on demand | 27/38 | | |
| Credit, four months | 1/3 1/38 | | |
| On SHANGHAI:— | On Demand | 10 1/2 | |
| On SINGAPORE:— | On Demand | 5 1/2 | |
| On JAPAN:— | On Demand | 108 | |
| On INDIA:— | Telegraphic Transfer | 8 1/2 | |
| Bank, on demand | | | |
| On NEW YORK:— | Bank Bills, on demand | 30 1/2 | |
| Credit, 60 days | 30 1/2 | | |
| On Demand | 5 1/2 | | |
| On PAKISTAN:— | Bank Bills, on demand | 6 1/2 | |
| Credit, 4 months | 6 1/2 | | |
| On SAIGON:— | On Demand | 6 1/2 | |
| On MANILA:— | On Demand | 60 1/2 | |
| On BANGKOK:— | On Demand | 148 1/2 | |
| SOVEREIGNS Bank Buying | Rate | 1/23 1/2 | |
| BAR SILVER, per oz. | | 0 | |

London Finance Committee Incident

London was greatly intrigued to hear that two ex-Lord Mayors were seen facing each other after a recent Finance Committee at the Guildhall—one with his coat off. The two were Sir Pheneas and Sir Alfred Bower. Sir Alfred, London's Lord Mayor in 1924-5, is 78, and Sir Pheneas Neal, whose year of office was 1930-31, is 76. I talked with both of them today (writes an "Evening News" representative). Sir Alfred was at his home at Chislehurst, and Sir Pheneas Neal at Sundridge, Sevenoaks. "Let 'Em All Come" Sir Pheneas, obviously weary of inquiries about whether he had been struck, said: "This is all a lot of nonsense, but let 'em all come. I am quite sound. So far as I am concerned the incident is closed. The least said about it the better. It is a mountain out of a mole-hill. Sir Alfred seems to have had the idea that I twisted his arm at the Court of Aldermen meeting on Tuesday. I don't remember twisting his arm. I don't think I even touched him. I was at the Court on Tuesday only for about five minutes, as I had to leave to attend a board meeting. But there is really nothing in it, and, of course, I did not take the matter seriously. Sir Alfred Bower said:—

PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

One of the most interesting features of the 1937 Exposition, which last week was the showing of moving pictures of the famous Paracale-Mambulo mining district. These pictures were produced for Marsman and Company and showed the details of mining operations at United Paracale, Caco Grove, and San Mauricio. The picture will be shown in the Hall of Mines every evening, starting at 7:30 p.m., during the period of the Exposition. Limited seating arrangements have been provided and tickets for these seats will be issued free of charge by attendants in the Hall of Mines each day. The presentation of this film through the courtesy of Marsman and Company, marks the first time that investors in Philippine mining stocks have had the opportunity of seeing actual mining operations. The picture was prepared for the benefit of stockholders in the Marsman enterprises, but so many requests have been made to view the picture that Marsman officials have consented to their showing for the interest of the general public.

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| Sterling £ 6,500,000 | | Reserve Fund \$3,000,000 | |
| Hong Kong Currency Reserve \$10,000,000 | | Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$3,000,000 | |
| Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$20,000,000 | | Agencies and Branches:— | |
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.
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Y. KANO, Manager.
Hong Kong, 13th Nov., 1936.

No Insurance For War Risks
Compulsory Scheme On National Scale?
In view of the decision of insurance companies not to accept insurances against war risks in general, and air raid risks in particular, it has been suggested, I learn, that the Government might step in with a compulsory scheme on a national scale, writes a Home correspondent. The idea has been put before the Board of Trade by the National Federation of Property Owners, though



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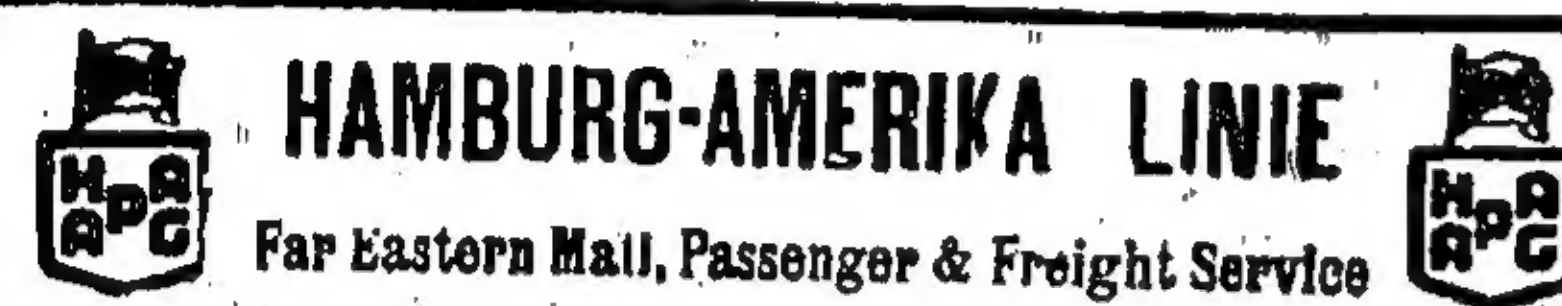
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m.s. "TJINEGARA" 16th Feb., 10 a.m.

Tender Queen's Pier 10.00 a.m. Tender Police Pier 10.15 a.m.

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TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMMES

(Continued from Page 4)

4.30 p.m.—The colourful world of the opera.

5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.

5.45 p.m.—Hitler Youth programme: From the social work of the Hitler Youth.

6.15 p.m.—Sign off DJA and DJB (German, English).

6.55 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN, DJE German Folk Song.

7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.

8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).

8.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners in the "Far East."

9 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German and Call DJQ.

9.15 p.m.—Women's Hour: The painted mountain.

A tale by Lore v. Recklinghausen.

9.30 p.m.—"Broad meadows in the evening dusk."

Lilly Netzer sings songs by Richard Strauss.

9.45 p.m.—A poet talks: Hermann Stehr.

10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJE, DJN, DJQ in Dutch on DJA, DJB.

10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.

10.30 p.m.—"Fährhörn Seydlitz" (Ensign Seydlitz) by Erich Edwinger.

11.30 p.m.—Hitler Youth Programme.

From the social work of the Hitler Youth.

Midnight—Sign off DJA, DJB, DJN, DJE, DJQ.

FRIDAY

1.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB (German, English).

German Folk Song.

1.10 p.m.—Hour of light entertainment.

2 p.m.—News in German.

2.15 p.m.—Hour of light entertainment (continued).

2.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners in New Zealand.

3 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English.

3.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.

3.30 p.m.—Serving suffering humanity.

National health as a task of the State. Talk with Prof. Reiter of the Reich Health Office.

3.45 p.m.—"Originals." Radio play with music by Max Jungnickel and Ernst Stimmel.

4.45 p.m.—Let us sing a Folk Song together!

5 p.m.—"Wette Wiesen im Dammgrau."

Songs by Richard Strauss, sung by Lilly Netzer.

5.15 p.m.—Ballad, intermezzo and romance from op. 118 by Brahms.

Lore Winter at the piano.

5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.

5.45 p.m.—Musical Hour.

Berlin Mozart Choir.

6.15 p.m.—Sign off DJA and DJB (German, English).

6.55 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB, DJN, DJE German Folk Song.

7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.

8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).

8.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners in the "Near East."

9 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German and Call DJQ.

9.15 p.m.—Grace and spirit in Rocco music.

10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJE, DJN, DJQ in Dutch on DJA, DJB.

10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.

10.30 p.m.—Military Concert.

11.30 p.m.—Hitler Youth Programme: That is the Hitler Youth (Germ., Engl.).

11.45 p.m.—Songs by Brahms.

Gertrud Tiede-Latagahn, contralto.

Midnight—Sign off DJA, DJB, DJN, DJE, DJQ.

RADIO AUSTRALIA

THURSDAY

6.30 p.m.—Recorded Music.

6.45 p.m.—Sporting Session.

7 p.m.—Melbourne Central Post Office Chimes.

7.20 p.m.—National News Bulletin.

7.30 p.m.—Victorian News Bulletin.

7.40 p.m.—String Music Recital.

8 p.m.—String Orchestra Concert, featuring Mourison Bourne.

8.55 p.m.—Programme from Melbourne Studios.

9.25 p.m.—National Talk—"Current Topics."

9.40 p.m.—Programme from Adelaide.

10.10 p.m.—Programme from Melbourne Studios.

10.30 p.m.—Australasian News Service, including market and stock exchange reports, and sporting information.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

New York, February 10.

| New York/London Cross-rate | High | Low | Last Close | Today's Close | Change |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|------------|---------------|-----------|
| New York Cotton—Mar. | 12.54 | 12.50 | 12.52 | 12.52 | unchanged |
| New York Rubber—Mar. | 31.46 | 31.33 | 31.35 | 31.35 | 32 off |
| Chicago Wheat—May | 136 | 133 | 135 | 134 | 1 off |
| Chicago Corn—May | 110 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 1 up |
| Silver—Official | — | — | 44 | 44 | unchanged |

| Dow Jones Averages | High | Low | Feb. 8 | Feb. 9 | Close | Change |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 30 Industrial | 182.64 | 183.11 | 187.82 | 188.79 | 187.68 | 14 off |
| 20 Rail | 80.48 | 80.98 | 87.80 | 88.33 | 87.88 | 14 off |
| 20 Utilities | 37.71 | 38.23 | 38.08 | 38.35 | 38.48 | 30 off |
| 40 Bonds | 108.01 | 108.92 | 104.84 | 104.12 | 104.12 | 73 off |
| 11 Commodity Index | 81.57 | 81.55 | 71.79 | 71.79 | 71.79 | 14 off |

Business Done:—2,890,000 shares.

| Stocks | Feb. 8 | Feb. 9 | Stocks | Feb. 8 | Feb. 9 |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------|--------|--------|
| Adams Express | 18 | 17 | Great Northern Ry. | 47 | 48 |
| Allis Chalmers | 76 | 76 | Great Western Sugar | 38 | 38 |
| Amer. Can. | 106 | 106 | Holly Sugar Corp. | 86 | 86 |
| Amer. Car & Foundry | 33 | 33 | Humble Oil | 86 | 86 |
| Amer. Cyanamid | 114 | 114 | Int. Nickel | 86 | 86 |
| Amer. & For. Pwr. | 63 | 64 | Int. Tel. & Tel. | 134 | 134 |
| Amer. Locomotive | 57 | 57 | Int. Dept. Stores | 32 | 32 |
| Amer. Metals | 64 | 64 | Kennecott Copper | 60 | 60 |
| Amer. Radiator | 28 | 28 | Lambert Corp. | 23 | 23 |
| Amer. Rolling Mill | 35 | 35 | Loew's Inc. | 77 | 78 |
| Amer. Smelting | 93 | 93 | Lorillard | 28 | 28 |
| Amer. Steel P'dr. | 89 | 89 | McIntyre Porcupine | 46 | 46 |
| Amer. Sugar | 52 | 52 | McKesson & Robbins | 63 | 63 |
| Amer. Tel. & Tel. | 182 | 182 | Monsanto Chemical | 59 | 59 |
| Amer. Tobacco "B" | 99 | 99 | Montgomery Ward | 59 | 59 |
| Amer. Waterworks | 25 | 25 | Murray Corp. | 10 | 10 |
| Anacosta Copper | 55 | 55 | Nat. Cash Register | 36 | 36 |
| Atchafalca T. & S. Fe. | 74 | 74 | Nat. Dairy Products | 25 | 25 |
| Atlantic Refining | 17 | 17 | Nat. Distillers | 28 | 28 |
| Auburn Motors | 34 | 34 | Nat. Power & Light | 12 | 12 |
| Baldwin Locomotive | 33 | 33 | New York Central | 43 | 43 |
| Baldwin Locomotive | 117 | 117 | Niagara Hudson P. & L. | 15 | 15 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 25 | 25 | North American | 30 | 30 |
| Barnes Oil | 33 | 33 | Northern Pacific | 30 | 30 |
| Bendix Aviation | 85 | 85 | Pacific Gas & Elec. | 34 | 34 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 45 | 45 | Pacific Lighting | 48 | 48 |
| Boeing Airplane | 27 | 27 | Packard Motors | 11 | 11 |
| Borden Co. | 57 | 57 | Paramount | 28 | 28 |
| Briggs Manufacturing | 48 | 48 | Pennsylvania R.R. | 43 | 43 |
| Brooklyn-Manhattan | 100 | 100 | Phelps Dodge | 56 | 56 |
| Case, J.I. | 175 | 175 | Phillips Petroleum | 56 | 56 |
| Case, J.I. | 17 | 17 | Public Service of N.J. | 51 | 51 |
| Canadian Pacific | 17 | 17 | Pullman Inc. | 70 | 70 |
| Celanese Corp. of America | 29 | 30 | Pure Oil | 23 | 23 |
| Cerro de Pasco | 89 | 90 | Radio Corp. of Am. | 12 | 12 |
| Certain-Teed P'dr. | 21 | 21 | Republic Steel | 35 | 35 |
| Chesapeake Corp. | 77 | 78 | Reynolds Tobac. "B" | 56 | 56 |
| Chrysler Corp. | 128 | 130 | St. Joseph Lead Co. | 44 | 44 |
| Columbia Gas & El. | 17 | 17 | Schenley | 44 | 44 |
| Columbia Gas & El. | 100 | 100 | Schenley 54% pf. | 97 | 97 |
| Commercial Credit | 65 | 65 | Sears Roebuck | 86 | 86 |
| Commercial Solvents | 20 | 19 | Shell Union Oil | 19 | 19 |
| Commonwealth & S. | 3 | 3 | Secony-Vacuum | 29 | 29 |
| Consolidated Edison | 45 | 45 | Southern Cal Edison | 50 | 50 |
| Consolidated Oil | 14 | 14 | Southern Pacific | 34 | 34 |
| Continental Oil | 68 | 67 | Southern Ry 5% pf. | 59 | 59 |
| Corn. Products | 71 | 71 | Stand Brands | 16 | 15 |
| Curtis Wright (C.) | 21 | 21 | Stand Gas & Elec. | 12 | 12 |
| Curtis Wright "A" | 52 | 50 | Stand Gas & Elec. | 55 | 54 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 123 | 125 | Standard Oil of N.J. | 71 | 71 |
| Del. Lackawanna & Western | 24 | 24 | Sterling Products | 72 | 72 |
| Distillers Corp. Sea- | 71 | 70 | Swift International | 31 | 32 |
| grams | 174 | 173 | Technicolor | 21 | 21 |
| Douglas Aircraft | 13 | 13 | Texas Gulf Sulphur | 41 | 41 |
| Du Pont | 13 | 13 | Tidewater Assoc. Oil | 21 | 21 |
| Electric Boat | 24 | 24 | Timken-Detroit Axle | 28 | 27 |
| Elec. Bond & Share | 78 | 78 | Transamerica | 17 | 17 |
| Elec. Bond & Share | 36 | 36 | 20th Cent. Fox Films | 36 | 36 |
| Elec. Power & Light | 36 | 37 | Un. Carbide & Car- | 105 | 106 |
| Elec. Power & Light | 44 | 45 | bon | 133 | 132 |
| Firestone Tire & R. | 37 | 37 | Un. Pacific | 32 | 31 |
| Flintkote | 47 | 46 | Un. Airline, Trans- | 22 | 22 |
| Gen. Asphalt | 62 | 62 | port | 7 | 6 |
| Gen. Cigar | 44 | 43 | United Corp. | 44 | 44 |
| Gen. Electric | 66 | 66 | United Corp. 3 | 15 | 15 |
| Gen. Foods | 63 | 63 | Un. Light & power | 44 | 44 |
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The Bishop of Coventry (Dr. Mervyn Haigh), referring to the constitutional position at his diocesan conference at Leamington last month, paid tribute to the reticence of the Press and to their high sense of responsibility during the last few weeks.

He said that the value of the services of the Press as a whole had been rendered all the more conspicuous by the behaviour of one small section. This seemed to have deliberately set out to make political capital out of the present distress, but it had succeeded in deceiving no one and had disgusted every citizen worthy of the name.

10.45 p.m.—Dance music.
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| CHONGCHOW & TIENTSIN | "SZECHUEN" | On 15th Feb. 4 p.m. |
| (FOOCHOW) & SHANGHAI | "NANOHANG" | On 17th Feb. 10 a.m. |
| SWATOW, CHONGCHOW & TIENTSIN | "SINKIANG" | On 17th Feb. Noon |
| SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN | "CAIYUAN" | On 17th Feb. 5 p.m. |
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| HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG | "MUINAM" | On 20th Feb. 3 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "KINGYUAN" | On 21st Feb. 10 a.m. |
| SWATOW & BANGKOK | "KIANGSU" | On 21st Feb. Noon |
| FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI | "SOOCHOW" | On 23rd Feb. 3 p.m. |
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| Agapenor, B. & S., February 23. | Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., February 12. |
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| Bonnaville, Loxley's, Feb. 22. | India, E.A. Co., March 4. |
| Busholt, Johnson's, February 17. | Ixon, B. & S., March 4. |
| Buthan, P. & O., March 19. | Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., February 14. |
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| Cremier, J.C.J. Line, February 23. | Lippe, Melchers, February 27. |
| Cyclone, B. & S., February 20. | Mennon, B. & S., March 14. |
| Dagfred, Johnson's, Feb. 13. | Menzies, B. & S., March 8. |
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| Deucalion, B. & S., February 14. | Nagasa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 11. |
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| Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., February 12. | Niel Maersk, Johnson's, Feb. 19. |
| Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., March 25. | Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 11. |
| Ermland, Johnson's, Feb. 28. | Pres. Doumer, Messageries, March 5. |
| | Protoclaus, R. & S., March 18. |

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NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., February 14.

Seistan, Johnson's, Feb. 18.

Fukukun Maru, O.S.K., February 17.

Seistan, B. & S., Feb. 17.

Sanchia, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 18.

Tibadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 18.

Haiyang, Douglas, Feb. 19.

Cra. Jer, J.C.J. Line, February 23.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

General Parshing, States, March 22.

Tai Yang, Dodwell's, February 18.

General Parshing, States, March 22.

Ixon, B. & S., March 17.

South America (W.C.)

La-Plata Maru, O.S.K., February 23.

Vancouver, B.C.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., February 23.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 10.

Ixon, B. & S., March 17.

Victoria, B.C.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., February 23.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 10.

Ixon, B. & S., March 17.

Fochow.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Hangang, Jardine's, Feb. 14.

Szechuen, B. & S., Feb. 15.

Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 18.

Yatsing, Jardine's, February 18.

Haiyang, Douglas, Feb. 19.

JAPAN (Direct).

Semarang Maru, O.S.K., February 14.

Kutsang, Jardine's, February 18.

Atsuta Maru, O.S.K., February 19.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, February 14.

Semarang Maru, O.S.K., February 14.

Shanghai and Japan

Gaussenau, Melchers, February 11.

Dagfred, Johnson's, Feb. 13.

Trianton, Johnson's, Feb. 13.

Deucalion, B. & S., February 14.

Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., February 14.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, February 14.

Nagasa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 18.

Nalders, P. & O., Feb. 18.

Sanchia, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 18.

Felix Rousset, Messageries, February 19.

Nordmark, Johnson's, Feb. 19.

Deike Rickmers, Johnson's, Feb. 21.

Agapenor, B. & S., February 22.

Bonnaville, Loxley's, Feb. 22.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., February 23.

Yakukuni Maru, N.Y.K., February 23.

Cyclone, B. & S., February 20.

Ermland, Johnson's, Feb. 28.

Niel Maersk, Johnson's, Feb. 19.

India, E.A. Co., March 2.

Taima, B.I. (Apar), March 4.

Fros. Doumer, Messageries, March 5.

Ranchi, P. & O., March 5.

Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, March 6.

Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., March 6.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 10.

Ixon, B. & S., March 17.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.

Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Taksang, Jardine's, February 14.

Szechuen, B. & S., Feb. 15.

Sinking, B. & S., Feb. 17.

Taiyang, B. & S., Feb. 17.

Taksang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.

Tibadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 18.

Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 19.

Kinyuan, B. & S., Feb. 21.

Patrolus, B. & S., February 27.

Isar, Melchers, March 4.

Swatow.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Hangang, Jardine's, Feb. 14.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

CRISTOBAL.

Dagfred, Johnson's, Feb. 13.

Tai Yang, Dodwell's, February 18.

Niel Maersk, Johnson's, February 27.

Honolulu.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., February 23.

Los Angeles.

Dagfred, Johnson's, Feb. 13.

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Nagasa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 18.

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Adriatic, B. & S., March 2.

Panama.

Dagfred, Johnson's, Feb. 13.

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Adriatic, B. & S., March 2.

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Changte, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Kamo Maru, O.S.K., February 27.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., March 5.

Ball.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, February 18.

Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, March 2.

Bangkok.

Helios, Johnson's, February 21.

Houtman, J.C.J. Line, February 27.

Hiram, Johnson's, February 28.

Batavia.

Tjinalak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 23.

Adriatic, B. & S., March 2.

Belawan-Deli.

Lippe, Melchers, February 27.

Gneisenau, Melchers, February 28.

Cremier, J.C.J. Line, March 4.

Brisbane.

Changte, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Kamo Maru, O.S.K., February 27.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., March 5.

Cebu.

Changte, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Bestholt, Johnson's, February 18.

Silverwalnut, Furness, February 28.

Bonnaville, Loxley's, March 9.

Davao.

Silverwalnut, Furness, February 28.

Haiphong.

Kungchow, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Kwangtung, B. & S., February 20.

Hobart.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., March 5.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Kungchow, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Kwangtung, B. & S., February 20.

Haitan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

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